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DR. ANSARI'S MISSION TO WARDHA

Will Persuade Mahatma To Continue Leadership

Total Withdrawal Of C. P. Board Candidates

Nariman Suggests All-India Action Against Misra's Ban

"CHRONICLE SPECIAL"

Yet another attempt to persuade Mahatma Gandhi to reconsider his decision about retiring from the active leadership of the Congress will be made at Wardha when Dr. M. A. Ansari meets the Mahatma.

It is understood that the Doctor, who recently returned to India, is very anxious to see that Gandhiji continues to be at the helm of affairs of the Congress.

Besides, the question that is at present agitating the minds of the leaders, especially those, who are members of the Congress Parliamentary Board, is the turning down by the Government of Mr. Dwaraka Prasad Misra's request for the removal of the disqualification to stand for the forthcoming Assembly elections. It is really surprising that while the ban on most of the Congress leaders, who come under the disqualification has been removed, the Government should have refused to remove the ban on Mr. Misra.

Misra's Ban Looms Large

The above question, it is stated, will be one of the most important topics that will be discussed at Wardha on Thursday and Friday, when both Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, President of the Congress and Dr. M. A. Ansari, President of the Congress Parliamentary Board, will be present.

Protest Against Govt. Action

It is understood that Mr. K. F. Nariman is moving in the matter of making the question of the refusal to remove the ban on Mr. Misra an All-India question. It appears that he will suggest at the next meeting of the Parliamentary Board that all those members of the Board, whose ban has been removed should withdraw from the elections as a protest against the Governor-General's action.

Sardar Leaves For Wardha

Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel left for Wardha on Wednesday evening by the Nagpur Express.

CHALLENGE TO CONGRESS

Seth Govind Das Sees In Mishra's Ban Issue Of Grave Importance

JUBBULPORE, Oct. 10.

In an interview to the "United Press," Seth Govind Das stated:

"Government's decision regarding Mr. Mishra has raised an issue of grave importance to the self-respect of the Indian National Congress. We both declined twice to contest the elections, but ultimately agreed due to personal pressure brought by Sardar Patel, Mr. Bhulabhai Desai and others in obedience to the Congress name and discipline.

Understanding that the removal of the bar is a mere formality, I applied to the Government hesitatingly.

"It is an open fact that both Mr. Mishra and myself were jointly arrested, tried and sentenced to two years' imprisonment, and it is a matter of pride that Mr. Mishra's services to the country as an ex-Member of the Assembly and Secretary of the Provincial Congress Committee for 8 years and President of the Jubbulpore Municipality were suitably acknowledged, while I myself received less than what I actually deserved from the Government.

"I first decided not to stand under the changed circumstances, but the Congress discipline and Mr. Mishra's personal appeal compelled me to change my mind and go to the Commissioner's Office to submit my nomination, and while I was there, I felt as if I was being dragged to a slaughter house."

Concluding, Seth Govind Das urged upon fellow Congressmen all over India to stop this humiliation process, and assert the independence and self-respect of the Congress, and if this was not done in good time, he said, individual Congressmen would have to flout official Congress discipline and act independently to save the Congress from further humiliation.—United Press.

MISHRA UNDAUNTED

JUBBULPORE, Oct. 10.

Interviewed Mr. Mishra said, "I never gave any quarter to Government, nor I expected any for myself. If this was intended to make a good boy of me, the sooner the Government is disillusioned, the better for it.'—United Press.

KHAN ABDUL GAFFAR KHAN

To See Mahatma In Response To Urgent Call

CALCUTTA, October 10.

Khan Abdul Ghaffar Khan who is now touring the interior villages of Tipperah preaching Hindu-Muslim Unity has received an urgent call from Gandhiji to be present at Wardha immediately.

Abdul Gaffar Khan has therefore cancelled the remaining part of the programme and will return to Calcutta to-morrow by Chittagong Mail.—United Press.

MAIL STEAMER RUNS AGROUND

"Naldera" In Trouble At Suez Canal

PORT SAID, Oct. 10.

The P. & O. mail steamer "Naldera," bound from London to Bombay, ran aground at the Suez Canal. Tugs are assisting to refloat her. Lighters have been sent, in case it was necessary to take off some cargo to lighten the weight of the vessel.—Reuter.

WILL CABINET SURVIVE OUTRAGE?

Srimati Kamaladevi, Vice-Chairman of the Congress Reception Committee, arrived in Bombay on Wednesday evening.

KAMALADEVI BACK IN BOMBAY

Looks Weak And May Go Out For A Change

Srimati Kamaladevi Chattopadhyaya who was released from the Vellore Jail nearly a month ago, before the expiry of her term of imprisonment for reasons of health arrived in Bombay on Wednesday night by the Poona Express.

She was received at the Victoria Terminus by representatives of the Congress Socialist Party, of which she is a member and the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee. Among those present were Miss Safia Somji and Messrs. K. F. Nariman and S. A. Brelvi, Dr. Bhasker Patel, Messrs. M. R. Masani, Yusuf Meherally, Jamnadas Dwarkadas, Muiraj Karsondas, Purushottam Tricumdas, Ali Bahadurkhan, C. K. Narayanswami and others.

VISIT TO FORT CONGRESS COMMITTEE.

On alighting from the train, Mrs. Kamaladevi was garlanded on behalf of the "A" Ward District Congress Committee. She was also garlanded by several women who were present on the platform to welcome her. From the station, Mrs. Kamaladevi proceeded direct to the offices of the A (Fort) Ward Congress Committee where she was received by the Officials of the Committee. After light refreshments she drove to her temporary residence at Worli.

SHE LOOKS WEAK.

Mrs. Kamaladevi looked very much pulled down and weak. Her immediate programme is still uncertain and considerations of health might necessitate her taking a few days' holiday outside Bombay before settling down to work.

A "Chronicle" reporter who met her at the station was told in reply to a question that she had hurried down to Bombay despite her weak health in order to be of whatever help to make both the All-India Congress Socialist Conference and the Indian National Congress a success. She was reluctant to make any statement before she had met friends and co-workers and get posted with the latest developments in Congress politics.

Nariman's Nomination Surprise

NAME NOT IN VOTERS' LIST!

But Congress Won't Leave Any City Seat Uncontested

Considerable comm[illegible] prevailed at the Congress House, and in well-informed [illegible]ss circles, on Wednesday evening, when rumours went ro[illegible] the City that the name of Mr. K. F. Nariman, the Congress candidate for one of the two Assembly seats from the Bombay City Constituency, is not included in the role of voters for the Assembly.

The Implications

The implications of the rumours are that, as he is not thus a voter to the Assembly. he cannot stand for the election to the Assembly. One Congress candidate will have, therefore, to retire from the field in the City contest.

Unexpected Surprise

It is understood that the Provincial Parliamentary Board, which did not expect this surprise, as it was inconceivable that Mr. Nariman's name should have been omitted from the Voters' [illegible]ister, has decided that both the City seats should be con[illegible]ed by the Congress and has made the final choice as to [illegible] that candidate ought to be.

[illegible]shi To Contest

For personal reasons Mr. Munshi was not willing to contest the elections. In view, however, of the surprise sprung on the Board in regard to Mr. Nariman's nomination, he has been persuaded to file his nomination papers in the name of Congress discipline and prestige.

Fears Removed

Mr. Munshi left for Poona on Wednesday, and is expected to file his nomination papers in time. All fears of Congress not contesting the second seat have thus been removed.

NOTABLE VICTORIES FOR CONGRESS IN C. P. & U. P.

MALAVIYA'S NOMINATION QUESTIONED

ALLAHABAD, Oct. 10.

The question of validity of Pandit Malaviya's nomination from Allahabad-Jhansi constituency had been raised when scrutiny of nomination papers for the Assembly election took place to-day, before the Collector.

It is alleged that his name is not in the voters' list of that constituency, nor in any constituency of the Provincial Council. Orders are expected to-morrow—United Press.

FIRST VICTORY FOR CONGRESS

Keen Contest For Seats In C. P.

NAGPUR, Oct. 10.

The Central Provinces has the honour of securing the first triumph for the Congress in the Assembly elections.

Seth Sheodas Daga, a Congress nominee of Raipur, being the only candidate for the C. P. Landholders' Constituency will be declared elected unopposed tomorrow, when the scrutiny takes place.

Nomination forms for the following constituencies were filed before the Commissioner of Nagpur Non-Mahomedan Constituency.

Nagpur Division, Mr. M. V. Abhyanker, Mrs. Anasuya Bai Kale, Dr. Khare and Dr. Moonje.

C. P. Muslim Constituency: Mr. Abas Ali, Mr. Abed Ali of Burhanpur, Mirza Akhtarhusen of Khandwa, Khan Saheb Siddique Ali Khan of Nagpur and Khan Bahadur Wilayatulla of Nagpur (Sitting Member.)—United Press.

Pt. MALAVIYA INTERVIEWED

Confirms Report Of Retirement From Election

BENARES, Oct. 10.

On being shown a message sent out by the Associated Press yesterday that he intended to retire from the Allahabad-Jhansi constituency of the Assembly to enable Mr Chintamani to be returned unopposed from the Allahabad-Jhansi constituency and Dr. Bhagwandas from Seven Cities Pandit Malaviya confirmed the port.

The Pandit however, added that he had since learnt tha Mr. Sri Prakas and others had also got themselves nominated rrom this constituency, and he did not therefore know how far his objective would be achieved in the new circumstances.—A. P.

MUNSHI ISHWAR SARAN ELECTED

Another Victory For Congress

BENARES, Oct. 10.

Munshi Ishwar Saran, the Congress Parliamentary Board candidate, was to-day declared elected from the Benares-Gorakhpur constituency of the Legislative Assembly.

The nomination papers of the other two candidates namely Pandit Krishnakant Malaviya, Congress Nationalist Party candidate, and Mr Gokulchand Kapoor independent candidate, were rejected on objections being raised

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"MARSEILLES" AND AFTER

French Press Demands Punishment Of Minister

OFFICIAL INQUIRY

(SPECIAL CABLE).

PARIS, Oct. 10.

Severe criticisms of the failure of Police to protect King Alexander and M. Barthou were voiced in the Press, which recalls the recent scandalous association of the high police officials with the traffickers and the gangsters.

The "Paris Midi" remarks that the most indescribable chaos reigned among the Marseilles Police yesterday. It was considered as madness to land King Alexander at Marseilles which is swarming with expelled foreigners and other sorts of undesirables.

The Press generally demands the punishment of those responsible for the crime, even including the Minister of Interior.

Some even demand the resignation of the Government with a view to its reconstruction. Later on, it was announced that an immediate official inquiry would be opened.

BOY KING FOR PARIS

(SPECIAL CABLE).

LONDON, Oct. 10.

The Boy-King accompanied by Queen Marie of Roumania left for Paris at 2 p.m. He is there meeting the Queen of Yugoslavia to-morrow.

SAD NEWS BROKEN TO BOY KING

(SPECIAL CABLE).

LONDON, Oct. 10.

The Boy King of Yugoslavia was awakened at six o'clock this morning by the House Master and was told to dress quickly. He was taken to the Head Master's study, where the news of the tragedy was broken. After a hasty breakfast, he motored down to London accompanied by his tutor and a detective. Peter looked pale and distraught. He wore grey flannels and a school cap. He glanced nervously at the half-masted Yugoslavian flag at the entrance of the Legation where he arrived at 9 a.m.

TWENTY HOURS AFTER

MARSEILLES, Oct. 10.

King Alexander's dead body was returned to his native land today, within an interval of 20 hrs. from his landing in France. With great military honours, amid deep manifestations of grief and respect, the remains were removed to the destroyer "Dubrovnik," which was put to sea, escorted by the French cruisers "Duquesne" and "Colbert" and attended by two other destroyers. In the cortege, from the Prefecture to Quai, Queen Marie Lebrun occupied the same car.

M. Tardieu, and M. Herriot from among the Cabinet Ministers were in the procession. Officers of the destroyer "Dubrovnik" and the pall-bearers prayed beside the bier, after it was carried on board the ship and Queen Marie Lebrun knelt while Chopin's Marche Funebre was played.

The destroyer departed for the Yugoslavian Port of Split amid the sounds of mournful music from the shore.—Reuter.

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STOP PRESS

PREMIER TO ACT FOR BARTHOU.

PARIS, Oct. 10.

M. Doumergue will act as Foreign Minister pending the appointment of the successor to M. Barthou.

In view of his desire to have a simple funeral, M. Barthou will not be buried in the pantheon, but in the family vault at Pere la Chalse, although he will be accorded a national funeral.—Reuter.

U. S. MONETARY POLICY.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.

It is learned that President Roosevelt feels that commodity prices should go a bit higher before an attempt was made to stabilise the price level. It is emphasised, however, that prices will be prevented from going too high. It is stated in this connection that the price situation may be the factor determining the administration's future monetary policy.—Reuter.

MIRABEN IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.

Miss Madeline Slade (Miraben) arrived for a fortnight's visit. She is the guest of Reverend J. I. Holmes chairman, American League, for India's freedom. She told to an interviewers that her job was "to see that Mahatma Gandhi gets what he wants." She claimed that Gandhiji's untouchability campaign was succeeding more rapidly than expected.—Reuter.

POLICE BREAK UP MEETINGS (SPECIAL CABLE)

BELGRADE Oct. 10.

Demonstrations took place to-day in Sarajevo and Zagreb against Kalemen. When the demonstrators began to mention the name of Italy, the police broke up the meetings.

FIRST COURT-MARTIAL

(SPECIAL CABLE)

MADRID Oct. 10.

The first person to be court-martialled in connection with the revolution was condemned to twelve years' military imprisonment. The accused was caught using firearms.

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J. G. RIDLAND,
Secretary and Treasurer.
Bombay, 8th October, 1934.
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NOTICE

A MEETING of the creditors of the Jamnadas Nursey Ginning and Pressing Company, Limited will be held on FRIDAY, the 12th October, 1934, at 5 p.m. (S.T.) in the Hall of Mulji Jetha Cloth Market to consider what steps be adopted to safeguard the interests of the Creditors consequent upon the failure of the Scheme of Reconstruction.
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NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS for Asphalting about 2 furlongs of the Kurla Versowa Road within Andheri Town Limits are invited before 11 A.M. of 10th November 1934.

Every tender must be accompanied by a receipt for Rs. 100 which should be previously deposited in the office of the D.L.B. B.S.D.

Tender forms will be available with further particulars if required during office hours.

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By Order of the Board of Directors,
LALDAS TRIBHOWANDAS,
Secretary,
Bombay, 2nd October, 1934.
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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.
Suit No. 1953|1920 of 1920.

THOMNADRA ERIKALAPPA ..... Plaintiff.
versus
MAGANLAL PADAMSI and others. .... Defendants.

To,
(1) Maganlal Padamsi, (2) Govindji Padamsi, (3) Kam-Shetty Narayanswami

The Defendants abovenamed.

TAKE NOTICE that you are hereby required under O. XXI. r. 22, of the Code of Civil Procedure to appear in person or by Advocate (O.S.) or Attorney of this Court before the Sitting Judge in Chambers on the 30th day of November 1934 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause why the Decree pronounced against you on the 29th day of September 1922 in the above suit should not be executed against you.

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Seal of the High Court at Bombay

R. B. PATEL,
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(Sd.) TAHIR ALI.

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PRESS FORFEITURE UNJUSTIFIABLE

"Virjanand" Keeper Files Petition In Court

LAHORE, October 8.

A petition was filed to-day with the Registrar, Lahore High Court, on behalf of L. Prakash Chand, Keeper of the Virjanand Printing Press, pointing out that the order of the Local Government under Section 12(2) of Act XXIII of 1931 declaring the Press forfeited was not justified because (1) the original order of August 6, was not legal and (2) the Press was not used in contravention of Section 12 (1) of the Act and praying that the said order may, therefore, be set aside.

A petition was also filed on behalf of the same petitioner praying to the Hon'ble High Court, for an order forbidding the removal of the machines etc., of the Press till the petition referred to in Para (1) above was decided and appointing if necessary, a Receiver to take charge of the Press and its machinery in the interim.

Lala Bodh Raj, the former keeper of the Virjanand Press also filed a petition with the Registrar, Lahore High Court, L. Bodh Raj prays in his petition for the setting aside of the order of the Local Government dated 6th August, 1934, on the ground (1) that the notice served on him on August 6, 1934, by the Local Government requiring him to deposit Rs. 2,000 did not, as required by Section 3(3) of Act XXIII of 1931 describe the words which offend against the provisions of Section 4(1)b of Act XXIII of 1931 and (2) that the writing referred to in the notice does not contain any words of the nature described in Section 4(1)b of Act XXIII of 1931, and does not come within the purview of Section 4(1) of the said Act.—United Press.

An appreciation of the services rendered by Mr. Samiullahkhan, the retiring first Muslim President of the Nagpur Municipality, is expressed by the C. P. Government in a communication addressed to Mr Khan. Mr Khan lost his seat in the recent municipal elections.

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Our Ajmer Letter

KICK OFF THE WHITE-PAPER

Sending Congressmen To Assembly Urged

AJMER, October 9.

Pt. Arjun Lal Sethi in the course of a speech delivered at a public meeting in Ram Gunj with Syt. Brij Nanad in the chair, strongly criticised the White-Paper, and dwelt on the necessity of kicking it off, which he said was possible only through sending Congressmen in the Assembly.

Swami Kumaranand and Rameshchandra Vyas also addressed the meeting. Two meetings have so far been held in Kala Bag. The result of these public meetings has been very satisfactory.

Confusion in Anglo-Indian Camp

Inspite of two appeals issued by Sir Henry Gidney to return D. B. Harbilas to the Assembly the local Anglo-Indians and domiciled Europeans do not seem to have decided to vote 'en bloc' for him. Seth Bhagchand has captured some of their votes, and the Congress candidate is also bent on sounding them.

Syt. Arjunlal Sethi has been elected office-bearer of the Provincial Parliamentary Board, and Swami Kumaranand and Shrimati Gomati Devi Bhargava co-opted as members of the Board.

LEAD SUBSTITUTED FOR GOLD

"Dexterous Cheats" Get Two Years' Jail

(From Our Correspondent.)

KURLA, Oct. 10.

Judgment was delivered by Mr. R. W. Potnis, the Resident Magistrate at Kurla in the case in which Punja Narayan, Rupa Amaru and Goma Vira were charged with cheating Dharmichand Bhairaji, a Marwari money-lender of Kurla. They were alleged to have substituted lead pieces in place of gold ones offered for test previously and thus to have induced him to part with Rs. 180 on the belief that the pieces were of real gold.

SECURITY OF "GOLD"

The prosecution story was that on March 17 last the first two accused went to the shop of the complainant Dharmichand Bhairaji and told the Marwari that they wanted money for their brother's marriage on security of gold. Rupa offered three pieces of gold and four earrings, after taking them out of a cloth pouch, which was put in a small brass box. They weighed seven tolas and a quarter. The Marwari agreed to give Rs. 180. They then left the shop on the pretext of consulting their brother and returned in the evening with the third accused. The Marwari handed over 18 currency notes of Rs. 10 each, having fixed the rate of interest at one pice per rupee per month. The accused then went away.

Before putting the brass box in the safe, the Marwari opened the box to see the contents, but was surprised to find that there were lead pieces instead of gold ones. He immediately went to Dadar Station and found the accused seated on the platform. Before they could entrain for their native place, the accused were arrested by a railway police constable "in mufti" on the report made by the complainant of the alleged confidence trick. In the course of the search of their person, 18 notes of Rs. 10 each, three pieces of gold and four ear-rings were recovered from the cloth pouch.

The accused denied the charges.

"DEXTEROUS CHEATS"

The Magistrate, in convicting all the accused, said that they were dexterous cheats and dangerous persons. In view of the three previous convictions of the second accused, and one each of the first and third accused, they deserved severe sentences, but taking into consideration that they were in custody for more than six months, the Magistrate sentenced them to two years' rigorous imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 75 each, or in default six months' further imprisonment.

Calcutta.—The special Magistrate of Sealdah sentenced Abdul Barik and Mohammad Hossain to 4 years' rigorous imprisonment for possession of a five-chambered revolver and 23 live-cartridges. —United Press.

"DETRIMENTAL" TO KARACHI'S TRADE

Grant Of Only 25 Per Cent. Rebate By N. W. Railway For Wheat Consignments

(From Our Correspondent.)

KARACHI, October 10.

Regret was expressed at last evening's meeting of the Karachi Corporation at the step of the North Western Railway in having granted a rebate of 25 per cent only for consignments of wheat received in Karachi Port from Sind and the Punjab in spite of the united demand of the Karachi Indian Merchants' Association and Buyers' and Shippers' Chamber and the Karachi Chamber of Commerce.

The Corporation further expressed the opinion that instead of the above rebate, the Railway should announce a general reduction of freight by 25 per cent without any restriction whatsoever with a view to affording relief to growers and consumers and stimulating the Trade of the City and in the increase of the income of the Corporation through Terminal Tax receipts.

The Corporation also declared that, if this reduction of freight is not granted immediately, it would prove detrimental to its interests as well as to trade in general including the N. W. Railway and the Port Trust.

The above resolution gave voice to the bitter resentment prevailing among the Indian Merchants at their trade via sea with Madras and other South Indian Ports in wheat, etc., having been hit hard by the curtailment of the freight rate by other railways and wanted the same to be revived.

Mr. G. S. Marathey's Appeal To Assembly Voters

Mr. G. S. Marathey, Public Actuary, who is standing as an Independent candidate for the ensuing Assembly elections has issued the following:—

I am standing as a candidate for the ensuing elections to the Legislative Assembly from the Central Division.

I shall oppose the so-called Communal Award, and shall not support any measure which interferes with religious liberty. Further I shall co-operate as far as possible with the members elected on the Congress and Nationalist tickets on all "national" points.

POLITICAL ACTIVITIES

I wish to say that from the time I passed out of the University as an M.A. in 1905, I have been taking part according to my ability in various political activities. I was fined in 1908 and 1930 for picketing liquor shops.

In England also where I had gone in 1911 for my Actuarial studies, I took part in a movement for removing the disabilities of Indian students residing there.

In the first Non-co-operation movement, I had taken my share, but owing to my heavy professional duties, I have been unable thereafter to take any prominent part in intensive agitation. I have been however, for many years, a member of the Provincial Congress Committee, and was once a member of the All-India Congress Committee.

Having had long experience behind me, and with an All-India reputation in the field of insurance as Consulting Actuary to nearly a hundred life insurance companies, I have thought it necessary to stand for election on this occasion, particularly as during the next period of the Assembly, a Bill about "Insurance" is likely to be brought before the Assembly by the Government.

I have been a member of the Managing Committee of the Maharashtra Chamber of Commerce of Bombay from the beginning and have been taking great interest in commercial education and other Commercial activities. I attended, as a Representative, the session of the Federated Chambers of Commerce at Delhi in 1933.

DASSERAH PRECAUTIONS AT KARACHI

Carrying Offensive Weapons Prohibited In City

(From Our Correspondent.)

KARACHI, Oct. 10.

Owing to the prevalence of keen communal tension in the city as a result of the trial and sentence of death passed yesterday on Abdul Kayum for the murder of Maharaj Nathuran the writer of the scurrilous pamphlet "History of Islam" the local authorities have taken precautions for the forthcoming Hindu festival of Dasserah on the 17th instant when crowds of Hindus, mostly belonging to the upcountry usually go about armed with big lathis and who, it is feared, might come in conflict with Mahomedans.

To preserve public peace on that day the Superintendent of Police has issued an order that on that day within the Municipal limits no person should carry sword, dirk, bluedgeon, or other offensive weapon and also prohibiting the use of gestures, dissemination of pictures, symbols, placards or of any other object or thing which may probably inflame the religious animosity or hostility or excitement between the different classes, or may probably incite to the commission of offence detrimental to the maintenance of public peace or to resistance to or contempt of, law or lawful authority.

Any person violating the above order or behaving in a disorderly manner or making disturbance of any kind will be immediately taken into custody and dealt according to law.

Reception To Indian Scouts In Ceylon

COLOMBO, October 8.

The Ceylon scouts are planning to give a rousing reception to the Indian scouts, when they pass through Ceylon on November 12 on their way to Australia to attend the Australian Scout Jamboree.

In Colombo the scouts will be conducted sight-seeing round the City.—United Press.

NEW DELHI, Oct. 9.

The Sessions Judge has rejected the appeal of Vidyaprakash of the Municipal Board High School, New Delhi, against a sentence of six months' rigorous for the alleged writing of a threatening letter to the Chief Commissioner.—A. P.

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No Invalidation Of B. P. C. C. Elections

Mr. Nariman's Report Of "Facts"

Admission Of "Certain Discrepancies" Which "Would Not Alter Results"

At last, after nearly two months' labour, we understand the Fact Finding Officer, Mr. K. F. Nariman, appointed by the Council of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee, to find the facts regarding the B.P.C.C. elections dispute, has submitted his Report to the Council.

The Report, it is understood, consists of nearly 100 foolscap typed pages and deals with practically every Ward. Facts as found by the Officer are narrated in the report in detail.

It is also understood that the Report, as it is submitted, does not in any way recommend the invalidation of the election, even from a single Ward.

It was claimed by the complainants of 'F' Ward especially, that the names of members of the Congress from alphabet T to Z were not to be found on the roll.

The Report, it is understood, says that evidence was led by Mr. Wadia, President of the Ward to show that there was a full list of all the members. Mr. Wadia himself had stated that he had on the day previous to the election seen the full list and signed it. Unfortunately that list had disappeared.

The Complainants had produced a list of 300 names to show that their names were not to be found on the Register.

The Fact Finding Officer is stated to have remarked in his Report that it was a pity that not one of the 300 had come and given evidence before the Fact Finding Officer, while the Secretary was able to get as many as 15 men to give evidence to show that several members with their names beginning between alphabets T to Z had come and voted.

Can't Alter Results

About the Khaddar Clause dispute, it is understood that the Officer has stated that a certain amount of leniency was allowed as far as the observance of that clause was concerned.

On the whole, it is stated to be the finding of Mr. K. F. Nariman that there were certain discrepancies, but they did not in any way alter the results. He is stated to be of the opinion that even if the small discrepancies had been removed, the present results would not have been altered in any way.

PLOUGHING OF WET LANDS

New Kind Of Tractor Invented

KOTTAYAM, October 8.

Mr. C. Joseph of Kumarakam, a suburb of Kottayam, has invented a new kind of Tractor, for ploughing wet lands, which is a cheap combination of power plant and ordinary types of ploughs.

Under the existing Patent Law in Travancore, a combination of other existing devices for ploughing purposes, cannot claim protection and as such, it is learnt that the inventor has applied to the Government for the grant of a license for three years from April 1933, enabling him to re-issue in future the sub-license on reasonable commercial terms to such applicants within the State, as would adopt the new trade.—United Press.

ENCUMBERED ESTATES BILL

Consideration Of Amendment Sanctioned

NAINITAL, Oct. 10.

The Associated Press understands that the Governor-General's sanction for the consideration of the Encumbered Estates Bill as amended by the Select Committee has been received by the U. P. Government and this as also other allied bills relating to Agricultural Debt Relief will be coming up for consideration at the U. P. Council session commencing on October 29.

The agenda for the session is not yet finally drawn up. It is not therefore known when exactly these bills will be taken up. The Council is expected to adjourn about November 3, for a few days in connection with the Diwali holidays.—A.P.

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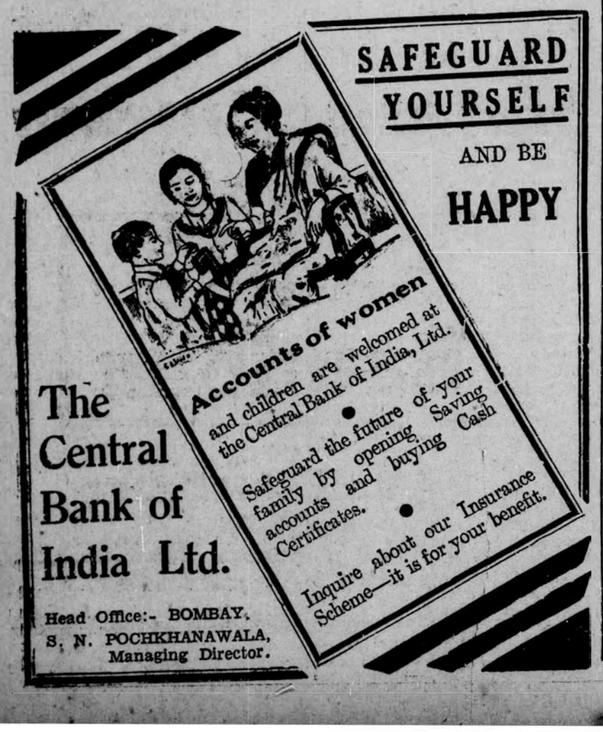
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ASSAULTS ON PEDESTRIANS

Seven Suspects Arrested In Ghulal Wadi Following Complaints To Police

There has been a great increase in the number of sudden and unprovocative assaults on pedestrians in the locality around Ghulal Wadi lately, and as a result of petitions made to the Commissioner of Police, Bombay, a watch had been kept there for the purpose of detecting the perpetrators of those assaults. Subsequently on a report being received that, a number of persons had gathered in that area last night at about 9-30 p.m. a posse of police from the Maharbouri Police Station, proceeded to the spot and arrested seven persons. The arrested persons could not give satisfactory reason for their collective presence there at that hour of the night.

The accused were offered bail in the sum of Rs. 100 by Mr. I. N. Mehta. Presidency Magistrate, Girgaum Court, on Thursday, pending enquiries.

INDEPENDENT WORKERS' UNION

Discontent among the millworkers towards their erstwhile leaders, after the recent collapse of textile strike in the city has resulted in the formation of a union, exclusively of workers with all their office-bearers drawn from the ranks of the workers.

The union has been named the "Swatantra Kamgar Sangh" or the Independent Workers' Union, having a membership of over 2,000.

The first meeting under the auspices of their union was held at Pimpla Maidan, Fergusson Road on Saturday night when Nerkar Bhon presided.

The meeting was addressed by Messrs. Jhabwalla and Purshottam Tricumdas, who congratulated them on their independent ideal and forming their own Sangh.

The meeting terminated peacefully.

FOUND GUILTY OF RASH DRIVING

Motorist Ordered To Pay Fine Of Rs. 25

Found guilty of rash driving E. W. Cooks, was ordered to pay a fine of Rs. 25 by Mr. Oscar H. Brown, Presidency Magistrate, Third Court on Wednesday.

Inspector Punter said that in consequence of complaints of fast driving received from the Military Authorities, he posted himself every evening at Colaba Road. On September 4 he noticed the accused driving his car at such a terrific speed that the car was swerving from one side to the other. There were a number of pedestrians including children on the road at the time.

Rs. 1,800 WORTH KHADI SOLD IN MANGROL

MANGROL, Oct. 10.

In continuation of their Khadi tour on the occasion of the Gandhi Jayanti Sjts Manilal Kothari and Chaganlal Joshi have arrived here.

During their stay at Porbander, in response to Sjt. Kothari's appeal for free distribution of khadi among the poor, particularly flood-affected people in Assam, His Highness the Maharana, leading merchants and state officials donated about Rs. 1,800. Shop to shop hawking was also successful and the total sale of Khadi amounted over Rs 2,500.

On thin way here the leaders halted at Manavadar where khadi worth Rs. 250 was sold.—United Press.

TWO PERSONS ARRESTED

In connection with the theft of 133 diamonds valued at Rs. 782 the C.I.D. arrested at Javari bazaar on Tuesday Ramji Hargovind and Ratilal Dhulabji.

They were remanded into police custody for a fortnight.

The view that the Debtors Relief Bill introduced last session in the Legislative Council instead of acording any relief might place obstacles in the way of tiding over financial difficulties is contained in a communication which the Nagpur District Bar has forwarded to the Government in opposing the measure.

PANWALLA FINED Rs. 30

Charge Of Receiving Sutta Bets In His Shop Proved

The Presidency Magistrate, Dadar Court, Bombay, sentenced on Tuesday, Fakruddin Inayutulla a pan-shop owner, to pay a fine of Rs. 30, on the charge of having received satta-bets at his shop on September 8 last.

On the receipt of information to the effect that a pan-shop situated at Moosa Seth Davandwalla's Chawl, De Lisle Road, was being used for the purposes of gaming, Deputy Inspector Raje of the De Lisle Road Police Section, sent a bogus customer with a marked eight-anna coin to lay a bet with the owner of the shop. Immediately afterwards, he raided the place and arrested Inayatkhan who had the marked eight-anna coin in his possession. Some satta betting slips were also seized by the police during the course of the raid.

The accused pleaded "not guilty" to the charge, and said that the marked coin was given to him by a customer who came to buy "pan."

The magistrate, disbelieved the defence story and sentenced the accused as above.

BIDI MANUFACTURER DUPED

Payment Received For Rs. 730 Hundi That Was not Cashed

JUBBULPORE, Oct. 9.

An exceptionally clever trap was laid forMessrs. MohanlalNargovind the famous 'bidi' manufacturers, when one Chunilal relieved the millionaire of Rs. 730 in spite of not begettng his confidence

From a report registered by the police it was found that Chunilal approached Moolshanker, the agent of the Firm and requested him to cash a 'hundi' for Rs. 450, payment of which was to be made by Messrs. Bhagwandas Laljee of Delhi He felt sceptical and informed Chunilal that the 'hundi' would be sent to their Branch Office at Delhi and when cashed by Bhagwandas Lalji, payment would be made to him here, a proposal to which Chunilal readily agreed.

A few days later intimation was received from the Branch Office that they had realised the amount and Chunilal received the cash out here.

Allowing a few days to elapse Chunilal presented a second 'hundi' on the same firm, for Rs. 730, and the 'munim' insisted on the same formality being again observed to which Chunilal asserted. Two days later, a wire was received from the Branch Office that they had realised the amount Chunilal being paid Rs. 730. Confirmation of this transaction was sent from here to their Branch when a reply was received that they had issued no such wire and needless to add Chunilal has absconded.—United Press.

Criticism Of Congress Programme

Speeches denouncing the present Congress programme and leadership were delivered on Tuesday evening at a meeting held on Chaupati sands under the auspices of the Independence of India League, Mr. V. B. Karnik, presided over the meeting.

The president in his opening remarks criticised the Charkha and Khaddar programme of the Congress and pointed out that it was at the best a modest programme of social reform. He condemned the formation of the Congress Parliamentary Board as the drift towards the right and warned the audience that if they did not organise themselves in time on the basis of a scientific programme of National Independence the right wing in the Congress would gain mastery over the movement and convert it into an instrument of the Indian upper classes.

Mr. G. R. Inamdar and Maniben Kara then addressed the meeting on the aims and objects and the programme of action of the League.

League's Object

The League proposed to work for attaining Independence by helping in the organisation of the workers peasants and other exploited classes in their class organisations and by carrying on a vigorous propaganda for such elementary rights as freedom of press, etc.

CINEMA PICK-POCKET JAILED

Magistrate Orders Identification Parade In Court

Babu Lukmaji, a man with eight previous convictions and Dagloo Dhondu, with nine previous convictions were sentenced to 18 months' R.I. each, by Mr. Oscar H. Brown, Presidency Magistrate, third Court on Wednesday.

The first accused was found to have picked the pocket of a diamond merchant at the Regal Theatre, in front of the Booking Office. The second accused was found guilty of being in possession of the missing wallet and a diamond which belonged to the complainant.

During the course of the evidence the complainant Harikrishna Prasad stated that two days after he had lodged tne complaint, he was called at the Colaba police station and identified the first accused in a parade.

In the Court the complainant identified the second accused as the man who was in the company of the first accused at the time his pocket was picked.

As no identification parade had been held the Magistrate directed it to be held in Court.

The Complainant was sent out and eight or nine persons were picked out and the accused was made to stand among them. When the complainant was called back into court, he failed to identify the second accused.

The Magistrate found Dagloo guilty of being in possession of stolen property only.

IMPERIAL BANK AND JUBBULPORE MUNICIPALITY

"Cheques Signed By Present Secretary Not To Be Honoured

JUBBULPORE, Oct. 9.

Following the orders of the Hon. Minister for the Local Self-Government, C. P., the Agent of the Imperial Bank of India Jubbulpore, Branch, acting under the instructions of the Deputy Commissioner, Jubbulpore, has intimated the President of Jubbulpore Municipality that as the Miniser has set aside the orders of his predecessor and further ordered the re-instatement of Mr. Sharma, the Bank under the circumstances will not cash or honour the cheques signed by Mr. Nityendra Nath Sen the present Municipal Secretary.—United Press.

AGED HINDU DIES NEAR TRAM-TRACK

An unknown Hindu aged about 60, who was found in an unconscious state, on the tram track at Charni Road on Tuesday evening, died at the J. J. Hospital soon after his admission. The deceased had some injuries on his body when he was removed to the Hospital.

From inquiries made it is understood that at about 4-40 p.m. a tram car was going towards Girgaum from Charni Road when some pedestrians shouted out to the driver to halt the car. The car was immediately stopped and the man, who was found unconscious, was removed by the police to the Hospital.

It is not known whether the man fell off the tram car or whether he was knocked down by the vehicle.

The Lamington Road Police are making inquiries into the matter.

Proclaimed Offenders

CALCUTTA, Oct. 10.

By a Gazettee Notification, the Bengal Government have declared Haripada Mahajan of village Binajuri district, Chittagong and Pabitramohan Ray of the village Sekharnagore, District Dacca as proclaimed offenders under Bengal Criminal Law Ammendment Act.—United Press.

CHARGED WITH RAPE

Arrested on the charge of kidnapping and raping a young girl of fourteen years, named Manibai Nana Rahil Hussein Syed Mustapha was remanded on Wednesday by the Presidency Magistrate, Dadar Court, to police custody till October 16.

ALLEGED SUTTA GAMBLERS ARRESTED

The Agripada Police raided a room in Bohri's chawl near the Bombay Central Railway Station on Tuesday night and arrested two persons for alleged Satta gambling.

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Sports Jottings From Here and There

Pot-Hunting Mars Spirit Of Sport

(By J. C. Maitra)

SIGNALS WIN DURAND CUP.

The Durand Cup Championship did not attract as many teams to Simla this year as it did in the past, the Rovers Cup having drawn away several of the former's regular customers. The "B" Corps Signals from Rawalpindi won the Championship by defeating the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders in the final by three goals to one. The K. S. L. I. the last year's holders, got eliminated in an early stage of the tournament by 5th Medium Brigade.

A RECORD OF 20 GOALS!

I do not remember to have seen or heard of a match in any first class Tournament in India in which the score went up to the appalling figure of twenty goals; The Leicestershire Regiment earned this distinction at the expense of the Simla Wings, a team composed of young Muslim boys. It was undoubtedly "a massacre of unresisting innocents"! For Bombay, we had a score of fourteen goals, piled up by the South Staffords against Bengal United in a Larwood League Match about twelve years ago. But then the conditions were all against the bare-footed Indians. A veritable quagmire made any foothold impossible for them. In their return match the Staffords could beat them only by a very small margin.

SATIRANJAN SHIELD.

The Bombay Portuguese Association added another feather to their Cap by winning the Satiranjan Shield Tournament which is played under the auspices of the Indian Football League. The Eagles United, their ultimate rivals, forced them to take the field twice before they admitted defeat by two goals to nil. The standard of play was fairly high and it is a distinct sign that it is improving day by day.

POT-HUNTING MUST BE STOPPED.

But there was one thing I did not like in it and that was borrowing of players from different teams just for the occasion. Because it savours of pot-hunting which is contrary to the spirit of sport. Each club must try to build up a team by its own members. Proper coaching and training given to all its available talents, and playing them together often will give the side the necessary team-spirit and discipline, and gradually raise it to the top class.

DEVELOP TEAM-WORK AND DISCIPLINE.

It is in the interest of a player himself to play for one team, at least for a whole season, unless it is absolutely impossible for him to do so for some reason or other. In a game in which cohesion plays a most important part, players must play often together to develop a keen sense of understanding between themselves so as to beguile their opponents to the wrong track. I have no doubt that every player with some knowledge of the game understands this well enough. The lure of the trophies, however, gets over his better sense of judgment.

ADVICE TO FOOTBALL AUTHORITIES.

In order to put a stop to this dangerous practice, the W. I. F. A. and the Indian Football League should exchange their lists of registered players soon after each season begins and see that no players registered under a particular club, plays for another without getting himself properly transferred to the latter. At any rate, the Indian Football League should observe the Players' Registration rules a little more strictly.

RUGGER.

ALL-INDIA CHAMPIONSHIP.

The All-India Rugby Tournament was played off at Calcutta this year. It was notable by several entries from important Civilian and Military teams from India and Burma. Calcutta won the championship by defeating the Duke of Wellington's Regiment in the final by 16 points (2 goals, 1 penalty goal, 1 try) to 3 points (1 penalty goal). It is said that Calcutta played rugby of a standard not seen since the war.

BOMBAY GYM. GET A SMACKING DEFEAT.

The Durhams who were by no means of the top-notch class, caused the downfall of the Welch Regiment, the holders, in their first engagement. Apparently some of their star players who were responsible for their victory last year were not available this season. Bombay Gymkhana, which brought home the Cup from Calcutta a few years ago, has also deteriorated. The Duke of Wellington's Regiment administered a smacking defeat to them to the tune of 18 points (3 goals, 1 try) to 8 points (1 goal, 1 try).

WHAT'S UP WITH "MIGHTY ATOMS?"

"What is the matter with the "Mighty Atoms?" everybody interested in the Bombay Gymkhana asks. When they won the championships in rugger after receiving the "wooden-spoon" in soccer, it was said. Soccer had gone out of fashion among Civilians or rather Public School boys in England and therefore fresh recruits were not available to replace those who retired from the field. It would be interesting to know what is causing their decay now. Anyway, they have a consolation that their confreres in Calcutta have gained what they have lost.

CRICKET.

AMAR SINGH TURNS "PRO."

It is now definitely learnt that Amar Singh, the Kathiawar fast bowler, has signed on for the Colne (Lancashire) League Club. The remuneration is £400 a year, and he will take up his duties next Season. It is a pity that he could not get over this temptation and keep himself available for the service for his Motherland. Perhaps he thinks that by rubbing shoulders with experienced professionals in England for a season or two, he would master their skill and strategy in an unsurpassed degree and by the way line his pockets well. I wish him all luck in his new mission.

CARR RESIGNS FROM NOTTS' COMMITTEE.

A. W. Carr, the Notts County Captain, is so much possessed of the body-line bowling that he has considered it wiser to resign from the Nottinghamshire Cricket Club Committee than submit to their opinion on the Larwood controversy. It remains to be seen where the latter stands in the end.

Before the Australian Team left England, their Manager had a discussion with a M. C. C. Sub-Committee on the much-debated body-line bowling. The talks have been kept a guarded secret. But it is reported that the Sub-Committee's report has already been considered by the M. C. C. General Committee who have appointed another Committee to frame suggestions and place them before the counties. Now it should not be long before the world knows what the outcome of all these bickerings is.

PUNJAB EDITORS WARNED

No Comments Which Tend To Influence Communal Feelings

SIMLA, Oct. 10.

A Punjab Government communique states that the Punjab Government has observed with concern the recent growth of communal feeling arising out of certain cases at Kasur and Karachi. These cases are 'sub judice' and the Local Government have refrained from an expression of any opinion in regard to them. They, however, earnestly appeal to all publishers and editors to abstain from comments which tend to inflame feeling metween communities and so save the Government the necessity of taking action under the Press Act which they, otherwise, will be constrained to take.—A. P.

BANK OF INDIA V. PETITS

Further Cross-Examination Of Mr. Gray

Mr. A. G. Grey, Manager of the Bank of India, was cross-examined and re-examined on Wednesday at the resumed hearing of the Bank of India vs. Petit's case before Mr I. S. Haji Magistrate, Mazagaon.

Witness, when cross-examined by counsel for the accused No. 3, said that he could not tell the court whether he used the expression 'cherry-merry' to Dwarkadas Jugelkishore on the very first occasion he made the payment. He admitted that he did not mean or intend by that expression that Dwarkadas was to treat the payment otherwise than a business consideration.

Asked whether the witness was surprised to see the cheque dated 11-2-33 drawn in the name of Narayan Jugalkishore and not in the name of Dwarkadas Jugalkishore, witness said that he was not surprised to see that.

Witness repeated the first few words of the question, apparently trying for an answer, when he was asked whether he knew at the time the cheque was issued that Narayan Jugalkishore was trading at the time.

Finally witness gave the reply that he could not say.

Questioned whether the proposal of a loan of Rs 40,000 was to transfer the debt to his bank at a lesser rate of interest, witness said he did not know.

After the cross-examination and the re-examination of the witness was finished, the question whether Mr. Colah or Mr. Dwarkadas Jugalkishore was to be examined first was debated upon.

The Magistrate gave the ruling in favour of the former.

Further hearing, at this stage, was postponed till thursday (today).

Mr. Homi Banaji, instructed by Messrs Vaidya and Company, appeared for the Bank of India, while Messrs. Sukhia, Jungalwalla and Lam defended the Petits.

IS IT JUSTICITE PROPAGANDA?

Madras Govt.'s Attitude Towards Congress Candidates

(From Our Correspondent.)

MADRAS, (By Mail.)

A question has arisen whether the terms of the rule as to the disqualification due to imprisonment apply to cases where civil resisters have been charged and convicted and sentenced on more than one count or more than one occasion and the total amount of imprisonment awarded aggregate to over one year, though on each count the term for which the individual has been sentenced was not awarded more than one year.

CANDIDATES' DOUBTS

It is understood that legal opinion sought for by the Government of Madras concurred with legal opinions taken by candidates themselves that the language of the rules did not permit the extension of the disqualification to any case where for a single offence imprisonment above one year had not been awarded. Most of the Congress candidates in Madras have been sentenced in this manner, that is to say, the aggregate of sentences on various counts and on various occasions comes to over one year, but on no single count was there imprisonment of above one year. In some cases a doubt has been raised whether imprisonment awarded for default of furnishing security under Criminal Procedure Code Sec. 108 is also imprisonment for an offence and whether imprisonment awarded for default of payment of fine is also to be tacked on to the substantial term of imprisonment.

A number of candidates applied to the Government for clarifying the position and also requested that in case it was held that there was disqualification the same may be removed by the Government under the provisions of the electoral rules.

SURPRISE FOR CANDIDATES

The Government of Madras have replied in the following manner refusing to clarify the position themselves and leaving it to be sprung upon the candidates as a surprise on the last day and also maintaining perfect silence on the question of removing the disqualification for which the Government of India has given to the local Government ample power and permission to act.

G. O. No. 362 Ms.

Dated 6th October 1934

Read the following:—

From Dr. T. S. S. Rajan, dated the 19th September 1934.

Order

With reference to his application dated the 19th September 1934, Dr. T. S. S. Rajan is informed that the question whether his conviction in C. C. No. 55 of 1930 on the file of the Sub Divisional Magistrate, Mannargudi constitutes a disqualification under rule 5 (2) of the Legislative Assembly Electoral Rules is one for decision by the Returning Officer of the constituency for which he proposes to stand as a candidate.

(By Order of the Governor in Council).

(Sd.) for Secretary to Government.

JUSTICE PROPAGANDA

It is hardly necessary to comment on the above in order to show how unsatisfactory this attitude of the Madras Government is. It is notorious that the cabinet in Madras to dominated by the Chief Minister the Raja of Bobbili who has openly thrown in all his influence and his resources arising out of the official position as against the Congress candidates. For some time past, canvassers for the Justice Party candidates were going about saying that Congress candidates would all be declared disqualified. Very probably the instructions from above have not left room for persisting in a wrong attitude and hence the middle course of mystification and delay. Be it as it may, the position needs immediate clarification so that there may be a fair fight as sportsmen can understand.

A NATIONAL EPIC

Dr. Pavry On Firdausi's "Shah Namah"

An address on "The Literature of Persia" was given by Dr. Jal Pavry, the distinguished Parsee Orientalist and Author, before a large gathering of the citizens of Kabul. His Highness Shahzadeh Ahmad Ali Khan Dourani, the Director of the Society and leading literary man of Kabul, presided at the gathering.

Dr. Pavry was accompanied by his talented sister, Miss Bapsy Pavry, who has the distinction of being the first Indian lady to take the long and difficult journey by the overland route from London to Bombay via Russia Persia and Afghanistan.

After thanking the citizens of Kabul for their most cordial welcome, Dr. Pavry spoke briefly on the literature of Persia, from the earliest times down to the fourteenth century A.D. Dr. Pavry first spoke on the Avesta and Pahlavi literature, and then on Modern Persian literature, which followed in the wake of Pahlavi literature.

FIRDAUSI IN EPIC POETRY.

In describing the epic poetry, which broke into a crest nearly a thousand years ago. Dr. Pavry spoke about Firdausi and his master-piece as follows: "The great name in Persian epic poetry is that of Firdausi (935-1020), who devoted his life to singing of the past glories of Iran. His masterpiece, the "Shah Namah," or "Book of Kings," is a personal epic in the sense that it is the work of a single rhapsodist, but it is a national epic because pulsing with the heart-beat of a people. Firdausi's trumpet tones ring and re-ring with the note of the old-time pride of Iran echoing in clarion blasts the story of her ancient kings in their long line of sovereignty, the valour of her heroes, and the stubborn baseness of her inveterate foes. At times the kindled flame burns high on the heights of epic grandeur, illuminating the long poem with the fire of inspiration, so that its huge mass of sixty thousand verses is aglow, and warms the reader's heart."

Dr. Pavry later spoke of the Persian lyric poets Saadi and Hafiz. He illustrated his remarks by citing examples from each of the poets, which were listened to with great interest and enthusiasm.

At the conclusion of the lecture, the Chairman presented on behalf of the Society, Miss Pavry and Dr. Pavry with a complete set of publications of the Society, beautifully bound.

PILGRIM SPECIAL TRAIN

Starting From Jamnagar On Oct. 20

The Publicity Officer of Jamnagar and Dwarka Railway writes:

The Jamnagar and Dwarka Railway will run a pilgrim special train starting from Jamnagar on 20th October. It will visit nearly all important pilgrim centres in India and is so programmed that the pilgrims will have the benefit of a holy bath in the Jumna River on Bhai Bij, which is regarded as a most important occasion by the Hindus.

This train will visit Dwarka, Beyt Shankhodhar, Junagad, Veraval, Vankaner, Nathji, Udaipur, Ujjain, Gwalior, Agra, Muttra, Delhi, Allahabad, Baijnath, Calcutta, Jagannathpuri, Madras, Kanjivaram, Tanjore, Rameshwar, Dhanushkodi, Madura, Trichinopoly, Ranigunta, Pandharpur, Nasik, Bombay, Baroda and Ahmedabad.

Usual facilities that are afforded to the passengers travelling by such pilgrim special trains such as watch and ward, catering, medical help, accommodation allowed in the train during periods of halts, etc., have been arranged to be granted to the passengers of this train.

Third class and second class fares for the entire tour are Rs. 110 and Rs. 270 respectively. Accommodation can be reserved by sending a deposit of Rs. 25 per ticket to the Organiser, Mr. Umedlal Tribhovan Zaveri, Mahalaxmi Road, Jamnagar.

Nizam Celebrates His 49th Birthday

HYDERABAD (Dn.), Oct. 10

His Exalted Highness the Nizam celebrates his 49th birthday today. In this connection the Nizam attended a military parade on the Fateh Maidan this morning at which he took the salute.

A birthday Darbar is being held at the Eden Gardens to-night.—A. P.

AIR RACE HELPS FORWARD INTERNATIONAL GOODWILL

Sir M. Robertson Wishes Entrants "Safe And Speedy" Flight To Melbourne

The following is the text of the message given by Sir Macpherson Roberston to each entrant in the Air Race:—

The magnificent response by leading airmen of the world, who have so generously come forward to make this event—the greatest race in the history of aviation, is very gratifying to the Air Race authorities in Australia.

FOR INTERNATIONAL GOODWILL.

The State of Victoria and the Melbourne Centenary Council, are also profoundly sensible of the generous assistance rendered by the Governments and other authorities, in the many countries concerned, without whose spontaneous and unsparing co-operation, the races could never have been organised. Their ready acquiescence in granting concessions and their desire to assist in every way towards the successful issue of the race, are inspiring manifestations of international goodwill and a graceful gesture to the people of Victoria and of Australia.

The full growth of aviation must be world-wide and the international support that the race has evoked, since its inception convinces me, that such a contest must help to broaden the mutual basis for friendly inter-change of service and understanding between nations, quite apart from its great value in quickening the airmindedness of their people.

TEST OF SKILL & ENDURANCE.

Of the many factors to play their part in the high speed race, the attempt to reach Melbourne from London in something like three days will inevitably call forth, in the highest degree, the skill, resourcefulness and endurance of pilots; the ingenuity and faithfulness of the aircraft and engine construction; the expert mechanical care of engines that must function almost non-stop half way round the world; the sustained efficiency of refuelling services during day and night; and the close co-operation of wireless and meteorological stations along a course which crosses three continents and spans the seasons from autumn to spring.

Countries in every continent of the globe will be represented in this flight for the "blue ribbon" of the air, and the participation of so many representative airmen assures for the winners a place in the annals of flying, worthy of the highest traditions of aviation.

I but express the feeling of all Australians in wishing you a safe and speedy flight to Melbourne, where a warm and hearty welcome awaits you.—A.P.

Italian Scholarship For Indian Doctor

SIMLA, Oct. 10.

Dr. Raknarain Tandon, Junior Assistant to the Superintendent and Radiologist, King Edward VII Sanatorium, Bhowali, has been awarded one of the scholarships placed by the Italian Federation against tuberculosis.

These scholarships are of value of 6,000 liras plus board and lodging.

The scholarships are awarded to foreign medical practitioners recommended by Governments or National Societies belonging to the Union for the purpose of following a course of studies in tuberculosis at the Mussolini Institute, Rome.

Dr. Tandon joins his course on November 28.—United Press.

Pandit Kanakchandra Sarmah, the president of the Nowgong District Congress Committee since the Non-Co-operation movement of 1921, resigned the presidentship of the District Congress formally at the meeting of the D.C.C. on grounds of disagreement with the decision of the All-India Congress Working Committee regarding the Communal Award.—United Press.

The Ceylon Cricket Club is arranging to send over to Madras a strong team, during the coming Christmas season. The names of the players will be announced later on.—United Press.

MAHARASHTRA CRICKET ASSOCIATION

Move To Get It Affiliated To I. C. Board

(From A Correspondent).

POONA, October 10.

A meeting was held of the representatives of several Cricket Clubs and Gymkhanas on Monday evening, 6-30 p.m. at the Poona Parsee Gymkhana Pavilion, when Mr. N. H. Watchmaker was in the chair.

Amongst those present were the following, Mr. N. H. Watchmaker, Secretary Parsee Gymkhana, Mr. Suleman, Mr. E. H. Jaffer, Captain of the All Colleges combined, and representative of the Islam Gymkhana, Mr. S. S. Errum, Captain of the Deccan Gymkhana, Mr. S. Bajirao, Captain and Secretary-General of the Maharashtra Gymkhana, Mr. S. V. Gupte of the Poona Union Club, Mr. P. S. Urad, Captain and Secretary of the Telgu Cricket Club, Mr. B. N. Lodi of the Young Men's Christian Association.

Mr. Jameson of the Poona Contingent A. F. (I) informed that he was in full support of the objects of the meeting.

At the meeting it was resolved to form "Maharashtra Cricket Association", and to get it affiliated to "The Indian Cricket Control Board" at Delhi, through the "Bombay Presidency Cricket Association."

The following office-bearers were elected to work till the next election:—Mr. N. H. Watchmaker, Chairman; Mr. Suleiman E. H. Jaffer. Hon. Treasurer; Mr. S. Bajirao, Hon. Secretary.

It was further resolved to start "Inter-District Cricket Tournaments" at an early date.

EPIDEMICS IN PEN TALUKA

Villagers' Plans To Check Progress Of Diseases

WAKRUL (By Mail)

The Hon Secretary R. H. R Association writes:—

A public meeting of 25 villages surrounding Wakrul was convened on Saturday evening when Mr. Datar explained the present state of health of people and gave the figures of mortality from tuberculosis, typhoid dysentery and cholera and emphasised the importance of having drinking water fully sterilised. He gave demonstrations on various sorts of water which the poor people, labourers and peasants were using. He said that if it could be arranged to keep the drinking water under constant sterilisation the question of the waterborne diseases would be completely solved.

Dr. Patankar explained the urgency of the affair, illustrated the uses of chlorine and cited his own experience re: the use of chlorogen and the immunity it afforded, and added that if proper steps, as suggested by Mr. Datar were taken they would be freed from the attacks of those epidemics.

Thereupon Messrs. Khare, Kashiram Mehta and other local leaders gave their own experience.

The association is prepared to carry on his propaganda throughout the Pen Taluka.

NEW KANTWADY SCHEME LANDHOLDERS' ASSOCIATION

At a meeting held on Sunday last at Bandra, under the presidency of Dr. P. A. Dias, Municipal Councillor, at which over 50 landowners were present, an Association called "The New Kantwady Scheme Landholders' Association, Bandra" was established. Membership of the Association is open to all persons of either sex, who are members of the Salsette Catholic Co-operative Housing Society, Ltd., Kantwady Scheme, Bandra. The objects of the Association among others, are (a) to protect the vested interests of its members; (b) to encourage social intercourse; (c) to participate in public movements and demonstrations so far as they affect the interests of the Association; and (d) to adopt such other means as may be conducive to the advancement of its welfare.

The meeting elected Dr. Dias as the first President of the Association, and Messrs. Braz A. Fernandes and L. S. Braganza, Vice-Presidents, with eight committee members and an hon. secretary and treasurer. The meeting also adopted the rules of the Association.

SOCIALIST CONFERENCE R. C. MEETING

A meeting of the Reception Committee of the forthcoming All-India Congress Socialist Conference will be held to-day (Thursday) at 5-45 p.m. 1. To consider arrangements for the Conference. 2. To elect a Chairman, Treasurer, 2 Secretaries and 11 other members of the Working Committee of the Reception Committee.

All those who have enrolled themselves are hereby requested to attend, as it is not possible to give individual notice.

BOMBAY SOCIALISTS ANNUAL MEETING

The annual General Meeting of the Bombay Congress Socialist Party will be held to-day (Thursday) at 6-30 p.m. at the Bombay Students' Brotherhood Hall, (French Bridge) to consider: 1. The report of the Executive Committee. 2. Statement of accounts. 3. Election of 2 Secretaries and 9 other members of the Executive Committee and 4. Election of Delegates to the All-India Congress Socialist Conference.

AUCTIONS OF CARDAMOM

Low Stocks

KOMBAI, Oct 10.

The Secretary, Cardamon Krishigars Sangam, Kombai, telegraphs:—

Kombai Cardamon market report result of to-day's auctions prices per thulam of 310 tolas weight. Ungarbled estate bulk tharaipadams 24. Malabar store padams 27 to 29, gandhipara Mysore 35/14/0 sold 300 thulams stocks low influx on Cardamoms poor rains lagging. Market firm with upward tendency.

Dr. Rabindranath Tagore is leaving with his party for Madras on October 21 to explain the cultural achievement of the Viswabharati.

City And Suburbs

LOCAL ENGAGEMENTS

To-day

Hindu: Asoc Shud, 3, 1930
Muslim: Rajab 1, 1353
Parsi: Ardibehesht 5 1304
Sunrise: 6h 32m
Sunset: 6h 20m
High Water: 1-18, 13-05
Low Water: 7-1¹, 19-13

Socialist Reception Committee Meeting, Students Brotherhood Hall, 4-45 p.m. (S. T.)
Municipal Corporation, 3-40 p.m.
S. S. Narkunda, with English mails of September 27, due to at 4 p.m.
Legislative Assembly Elections: last day for Nomination of candidates.

SATURDAY, Oct. 13.

S. S. Ranchi, with English mails, sails at 1 p.m.

MONDAY, Oct. 15.

Legislative Assembly Elections: Scrutiny of nomination papers.

TUESDAY, October 16

Legislative Assembly Elections: Bombay European constituency: Scrutiny of nomination papers.

WEDNESDAY, October 17.

Dassera: Public Holiday Banks closed.

POSTAL NOTICES

Mails for Lamu, Mombasa, Ibo, Chindi, Dar-es-Salaam, Zanzibar, Tanga, Quilimane, Mozambique, Beira and L. Marquis per s.s "Tairea" will be accepted at the General Post Office upto 12 noon on Wednesday, the 17th instant. Correspondence for Mauritius, Reunion, Madagascar Ports, Natal, Cape Colony and other places in South Africa will also be forwarded by this steamer

Superscribed mails for Laurenzo, Marquis and South Africa per s. s. "Kathiawar" via Dhanushkodi and Colombo will be accepted at the General Post Office upto 6-30 p.m. to-morrow (Friday).

Superscribed mails for Singapore, Penang and Japan per s.s. "Toyama Maru" will be accepted at the General Post Office upto 6-30 p.m. to-day (Thursday).

BOMBAY CONGRESS SOCIALIST CONFERENCE

The Hon. Secretary writes:—

The meeting of the Reception Committee of the All-India Congress Socialist Conference will be held to-day (Thursday) at 4-45 p.m. (S.T.) at the Bombay Students' Brotherhood Hall. All who have enrolled themselves as members of the Reception Committee are requested to be present, as individual invitations are not possible to be sent

The REGAL
TO-DAY & TO-MORROW
ONLY AT 6-30 & 10 p.m.

Marion DAVIES
Gary COOPER
OPERATOR 13

Combining
The Spectacle of "BIRTH OF A NATION" and the heart-beat of "SMILIN' 'THROUGH'."
HEAR ITS HIT SONGS!

NEXT SATURDAY
MYRNA LOY
GEORGE BRENT
in
STAMBOUL QUEST
Which is stronger..... Love of country or love of the Heart?

The CAPITOL
TO-DAY & TO-MORROW
ONLY AT 6-30 & 10 p.m.

DO YOU KNOW
What it means to be
THE LAST MAN ON EARTH
Then see this astounding imaginative drama of the destruction of our modern world!

DELUGE
with
PEGGY SHANNON
SIDNEY BLACKMER
LOIS WILSON

NEXT SATURDAY
FRANK BUCK'S
Sensational
WILD CARGO
The Biggest Shipload of Thrills since Noah's Ark!

DAILY AMUSEMENTS

REGAL—"Operator 13" Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m.
CAPITOL—"Deluge" Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m.
PATHE—"Six of a Kind" Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
KRISHNA—"Nanand-Bhojai" Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
MINERVA—"Bulbul-E-Paristan" Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
MAJESTIC—"Setu-Bandhan" Daily at 5, 8 and 10-30 p.m.
KOHINOOR—"Hurricane Express" Daily at 5, 7-30 and 10 p.m.
EDWARD—"Frankenstein" Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
PALACE—"The Cat and the Fiddle" Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
IMPERIAL—"Lure of the City" Daily at 5-30, 8 and 10-30 p.m.
GLOBE—"Alibaba and 40 Thieves". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
WEST END—"Toofan Mail" Time as usual.
WELLINGTON—"Affairs of Cellini" Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m.
EXCELSIOR—"Chu-Chin-Chow" Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
ROXY—"Naughty Girl" Time as usual
CARLTON—"Tarzan and His Mate" Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

SHIVAJI TERCENTENARY BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION FUND.

A meeting to consider the measures for disposal of the balance of the abovementioned Fund will be held today (Thursday) at 6 p.m. (S. T.) at Vandekar Mansion, Girgaum.

VILE PARLE NAVRATRI MAHOTSAVA

Under the auspices of the above, Sjt. Zaverchand Meghani will entertain the audience with folk literature to-day (Thursday) at 9-30 p.m. (S.T.) at Gandhi Chowk.

YOUNG WORKERS' LEAGUE

The opening ceremony of the Girgaum Branch of the Young Workers' League will be performed by Mr. Philip Spratt at Contractor's Building No. 4 to-day (Thursday) at 8-30 p.m.

'F' WARD DISTRICT CONGRESS COMMITTEE

The annual general meeting of the Members of the above Congress Committee will be held on Sunday October 14 at 6-30 p.m. (S. T.) at Dave's Building Compound near Gwalior Maharaja Building, Main Road, Dadar.

TENDERS FOR STERLING

To-day (Wednesday) tenders to the amount of £1,415,000 at 1s. 6 1/16d. were received and allotted approximately 70 per cent. £1,000,000 will be offered for tender on Wednesday, the 24th October 1934 on the same conditions as previously announced.

SARASWAT BRAHMAN SAMAJ

Under the auspices of the Saraswat Brahman Samaj, Girgaon, Mr. R. V. Parurekar, Secretary, Municipal Schools Committee, will speak on "Primary Education" to-day (Thursday) at 6-45 p.m. (S. T.) Mr. S. R. Dongerkery, Registrar, Bombay University, will preside.

PROF. RAJ RATNA MANIK RAO

During Navaratri, Wrestling, Lathi and other tournaments are to be held under the auspices of Hindoo Sanrakshak Mandal, when Rajaratna Prof. Manik Rao of Baroda will preside. His stay in Bombay shall be for about a week.

'G' WARD DISTRICT CONGRESS COMMITTEE

The Council of Management of the above Committee will meet to-day (Thursday) at 8 p.m. in the Committee's Office at Dadar to consider about Assembly Election Propaganda and 'Sutta Gambling' evils among other items on the agenda.

WORKERS' DEMONSTRATION PROPAGANDA

The first meeting of the Workers' Demonstration Propaganda Committee will be held at 6 p.m. to-day (Thursday) in the Head Office of the G. I. P. Railway Workers' Union, Shetye Building, Parel, Poibavdi, to chalk out the programme of the demonstration at the time of the forthcoming Session of the Indian National Congress.

M. R. FREE DISPENSARY

The number of new patients treated at the Mahomedbhoy Rahimtulla Free Dispensary at Sandhurst Road, for the week ending October 6 was 362; of these 249 were males and 113 females.

THE KARNATAK SANGH, BOMBAY

The Second Quarterly General Meeting of 1934-35 of the Karnatak Sangh, Bombay, will be held on Sunday, October 14 at 3 p.m. in the Hall of the Sangh at 8, Dwarkadas Mansions, Benham Hall Lane, Girgaum.

MALARIA CARRIER

The following is the list of places in Bombay City where Anopheles Stephensi, the Malaria Carrier, was detected breeding during the week ending on 6-10-1934.

Carnac Road: Small Causes Court, Wooden tub.
Parel Road: Nos. 60-68, Pools.
Lamington Road: Nos. 16-20, Foundation trenches.
Henry Road: No. 2, Wooden tub
Warden Road: Wakner Palace, Masonry tank
Victoria Road 3rd Cross Lane: No. 8b, Cistern No. 36
Apollo Street: B. I. M. Dock Yard, Hydraulic Press Machine pit.
Bhandup Street: No. 23, Water closet terrace.
Connaught Road: No. 20 (Sirdar Carbonic Gas Co), Masonry tank.
Gunpowder Road: No. 24, Open well.
C. P. Tank Road: Nos. 89-99, Tin
Tardeo Road: No. 298c, Dhobi's Kundi.

BANDRA MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

Keen Contest Expected On November 3.

(From our Correspondent)
BANDRA, Oct. 10.

With the date for the elections fixed for November 3 and the publication of the electoral roll, candidates are very busy canvassing for votes. That a keen fight is anticipated is evidenced from the fact that not a seat will go uncontested. Moreover, there is a struggle for party supremacy in the next board. The Dias-Almeida combine who are holding the reins now, are trying to secure as many candidates of their leaning whilst the Gupte-Sawant group are leaving no stone unturned to turn the tables in their favour in the next election. The result is that in every ward candidates of both parties will be contesting for seats. In fact, candidates are set up by the opposite party in order to prevent walkovers.

As far as can be gleaned, the following is the present position:

A WARD.

Sitting members:—Mr. Ign D'Monte; Mr. M B Sawant.
Candidates:—Mr. Ign D'Monte; Mr. M B Sawant; Mr. J M Almeida and Mr. Pathare.

B WARD.

Sitting members:—Dr. P A Dias, Mr. J P D'Mello and Mr. F Conceicao.
Candidates:—Dr. P A Dias; Mr. J P D'Mello; Mr. F Conceicao and Mr. P A D'Souza.

C WARD.

Sitting members:—Dr. D. A. D'Monte and Prof. J F R Almeida.
Candidates:—Dr. D A D'Monte; Prof. J F R Almeida and Mr. H V Banjolker.

D WARD.

Sitting members:—Mr. A V Misquitta and Dr. J H Pereira.
Candidates:—Mr. A V Misquitta; Dr. J H Pereira and Mr. John Netto.

E WARD.

Sitting members:—Mr. P D Miranda and Mr. M G Patil.
Candidates:—Mr. P D Miranda; Mr. M G Patil; Mr. Sohoni; Mr. Patkar and Mr. L G Fernandes.

F WARD (New Ward) 2 Seats

Candidates:—Mr. R G Naik; Mr. Amin and Mr. Y Navalker.

G WARD (4 Seats).

Sitting members:—Mr. G M Gupte; Mr. R S Bulsara; Mrs. Annie Almeida; Mr. N D Samant and Mr. M L Dhanukar.
Candidates:—Mr. G M Gupte; Mr. R S Bulsara; Mrs. Annie Almeida; Mr. N. D. Samant; Mr. T A Chaubal; Mr. V T Joshi; Dr. Leander Rodrigue and Mr. Munsiff & Mr. B Yeole.

MUSLIM CONSTITUENCIES.

The Mahomedan Constituencies will also prove interesting as in each of the 2 wards the seats will be contested.

A WARD.

Sitting members:—Mr. Noormahomed H Umer Kari and Mr. Gulamhussein M. Babul.
Candidates:—Mr. Noormahomed H Kari; Mr. Gulamhussein M Babul; Mr. I Cassambhoy and Mr. Bangriwalla.

D WARD

Sitting members:—Mr. I. Cassambhoy and Mr. Rajabally Mahomed.
Candidates:—Mr. Y Peerbhoy; Mr. Rajabally Mahomed and Mr. M H Pithawalla.

The keenest fight will be in the G Ward where no less than 10 candidates will contest for 4 seats.

LATE MRS. R. D. BELL

Bandra Municipality Adjourns

(From Our Correspondent.)
BANDRA, Oct. 10.

Yesterday's meeting of the Board was adjourned as a mark of respect to the memory of Mrs. R. D. Bell, wife of the Bombay Home Member.

Mr. H. R. Michael, the President, in moving the adjournment, referred to the interest taken by Mrs. Bell in suburban activities, especially Bandra, and stated that her loss would be deeply felt. The resolution was passed in silence all members standing.

A vote of condolence was also passed on the death of Mr. Peter D. Pereira, an ex-member of the Municipality.

Death Of Mrs. B. D'Monte

(From Our Correspondent.)
BANDRA, Oct. 10.

Early this morning the tolling of the church bells announced the death of Mrs. Beatrice D'Monte, wife of Mr. Ign. D'Monte, an ex-president of the Bandra Municipality. Mrs. D'Monte was an educationist, having graduated in Arts, and qualified for the S.T.C., and was the first lady representative of female education on the Bandra School Board. She was recently again on the Board, but owing to her illness had to resign.

The funeral will leave St. Martin's villa this evening for St. Peter's Church.

The Duke of Norfolk who will be visiting India shortly.

IN HONOUR OF LATE MR. F. S. TALYARKHAN

To-day's Public Meeting

A condolence meeting of the members of the Young Men's Parsi Association and friends and admirers of the late Mr. F. S. Talyarkhan, Bar-at-Law, will be held at Sir C. J. Hall at 6-15 p.m. (S. T.), to-day.

Sir Cowasji Jehangir, Baronet will preside and amongst the speakers will be the Hon. Mr. Justice B. J. Wadia, Mrs. Sarojini Naidu, Mr. M. R. Jayker, Sir H. P. Dastur, Mr. F. J. Coltman, Mr. D. J. Irani, Mr. S. A. Brelvi, Mr. E. R. Hirjibehedin and other prominent citizens.

The meeting is open to members of all communities.

A. I. S. A. OFFICE REMOVED

The Agent, A.I.S.A., Bombay Branch, writes:—

The special office of the Agent of All-India Spinners' Association opened at 344, Kalbadevi Road, Bombay on account of the Gandhi Jayanti work has been now removed to the Khadi Bhandar, 396, Kalkadevi Road, Bombay No. 2.

The buyers are, therefore, requested to get their receipts exchanged in Khadi Hundies from the A.I.S.A. Khadi Bhandar at 396, Kalkadevi Road, Bombay 2.

RAILWAY TIMINGS

AT VICTORIA TERMINUS.

Trains	Arrivals. H.M.
Madras Mail	6 00
Peshawar and Lucknow Express	6 15
Calcutta Mail via Nagpur	7 50
Calcutta Mail via Chheoki	9 00
Madras Express	10 15
Deccan Queen	10 25
Punjab Mail	11 20
Poona Mail	11 40
Nagpur Express	14 45
Poona East Passenger	16 25
Poona Express	19 25
Allahabad Express	20 40
	Departures
Allahabad Express	7 00
Poona Express	8 00
Poona Fast Passenger	11 55
Madras Express	13 45
Poona Mail	15 30
Deccan Queen	17 15
Punjab Mail	17 50
Calcutta Mail via Nagpur	18 10
Calcutta Mail via Chheoki	21 15
Nagpur Express	21 30
Madras Mail	22 00
Peshawar and Lucknow Express	23 00

AT BOMBAY CENTRAL.

Mail, Express and Passenger trains Arrivals at Bombay Central.

		H.M.
No. 8	Up Passenger	5 35
No. 20	Up Delhi Express	6 00
No. 2	Up Gujarat Mail	6 45
No. 10	Up Kathiawar Mail	7 50
*No. 4	Up Frontier Mail	8 55
No. 12	Up Passenger	14 50
No. 16	Up Kathiawar Express	19 05
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Mr. JAMNADAS MEHTA'S MANIFESTO

Economic Reforms He Will Fight For

Mr. Jamnadas Mehta has issued the following Election Manifesto:—

My views on the White Paper including the Communal Award have now been before you for over a month. The constitutional changes outlined in that document are no advance towards self-government; and the Communal Award is calculated to destroy all that has been laboriously achieved during half a century towards building up an Indian Nation. I reaffirm my determination to resist both these shams by all legitimate means. In this manifesto I wish to submit for your consideration our present economic condition, how it has been brought about, what the future has in store for us and what we could and should do to improve the situation.

RUTHLESS EXPLOITATION

The history of India during the last one hundred and seventy-five years has been one of ruthless and unrelieved exploitation of our people-classes and masses-for the benefit of the Britisher. Millions of people are normally unemployed, many more millions barely get one square meal a day. One distinguished Indian scholar is reported to have stated to Sir John Simon at an International Conference that twenty-four out of the thirty-five crores of our countrymen exist in wretchedness and misery. The whole race is stunted, our death-rate is double the rate of other civilized countries and hundreds of thousands die annually of disease, malnutrition and want.

The Government of India and the various European Chambers of Commerce are the direct lineal descendants of the East India Company and of its factors and agents and the economic resources of the country are still at the mercy of the British financial and commercial interests.

WHAT SWARAJISTS DID

During the six years that the Swarajists were in the Assembly between 1924-29, their constant pressure brought about a remission of taxation to the extent of twenty-three crores of rupees a year and prevented the imposition of additional taxation. Since then, owing mainly to their absence from the Assembly following the boycott of Legislatures by the Congress, new taxation has been levied which was estimated to yield about Rs. 100 crores in five years with a recurring annual burden of about 20 crores on the tax payers. This is one of the many evil consequences of the boycott of Legislatures and the leaders of the Congress must be held responsible for the major share of this crushing burden. The tax on the poor man's salt is increased by 25 per cent. The Custom duties and surcharges have virtually been doubled in their incidence. The internal postage rates are among the heaviest in the world. The lowering of the level of assessable income to one thousand rupees and the multiplicity of indirect taxes have squeezed the masses out of existence.

WHAT HE ADVOCATES

This being the position I shall, if returned to the Assembly, advocate the following reforms:—

1 The repeal of the Salt Tax.
2 The reduction of Postage rates.
3 The raising of all taxable limit of income to two thousand rupees.
4 The vesting of autonomous powers in the Federal Government in matters of currency, exchange and credit subject to the control of the Legislature.
5 The abolition of all extraordinary powers of the Governor General in the matter of railways, commerce, fiscal and tariff questions.

My long experience of Assembly work will enable me to represent your interests in the most effective and efficient manner; and I accordingly request that you will give me both your votes on the 14th of November 1934.

PAREL SARVAJANIK NAVRATROTSAV.

To-day (Thursday) Mr. J. P. Joshi will give a programme of Tesingtoe music at 8 p.m. (S.T.) at the Parel Poibavdi Sarvajanik Navaratrotsav. This programme will be followed by Kirtan.

Dibrugarh.—Five accused in the Tinsukia Mail Robbery Case, including one Ajit Sharma, an Ayurvedic practitioner, have been committed to the Court of Session on charges of robbery, possession of arms, and harbouring offenders, by Mr. A. L. Mukherjee, Deputy Magistrate. Another accused turned approver and was tendered pardon.—United Press.

In And Around Bombay

The National Flag

In front of the Congress Pandal, at the Abdul Gaffar Nagar, special arrangements are being made by the authorities of the Reception Committee to have an open space which will accommodate more than a lakh of people. This is where the Flag Base will be. Bombay will possibly be the first place, where a Flag Post more than 110 feet high will be erected. Arrangements are being made to have electric lights at the top of the Flag Staff so that while during the day, the Flag can be seen from any part of the city from the house-tops, during night also everybody can see the Flag Staff even from a distance of several miles. The Flag hoisting ceremony and the March Past of the Volunteers will be one of the very important and imposing functions that will take place during the Congress Week. Arrangements to make the Bombay Flag Hoisting and March Past unique in itself, are in progress.

Town Duties

The Municipal Commissioner has very ingeniously prepared a schedule for levying town duty on certain articles from which he hopes to realise at least Rs. 20 lacs. Out of a number of articles for human consumption and necessities of life, he has selected nine on which he proposed to levy taxes. On tea, he has suggested half an anna per pound duty, on charcoal Rs. 2-8 per ton which works out at half an anna per Bombay maund, on cocoanuts four annas per cwt. which works out at two pies per two cocoanuts. On iron and steel he suggests to levy Rs. 5 per ton. The maximum quantity of steel used in a steel frame building costing about rupees one lac, is 200 tons valued at about Rs. 32,000. A duty of Rs. 5 per ton would mean about Rs. 1,000 extra to the landlord, which the Municipal Commissioner thinks is not heavy. On grain, however, he wants to put 50 per cent more duty. The present rate of duty is six annas per Khandi which he wants to raise to nine annas per Khandi. On firewood the present duty is 2 annas per Khandi which he wants to raise to four annas. The last three items affect particularly the poor and it is hoped the suggestion to tax these commodities more would be brushed aside by the Law, Revenue and General Purposes Committee to whom the matter is sent for re-consideration.

CONCERT OF INDIAN MUSIC

The Indian Christian Union has arranged a charity musical performance to be held at the Wilson College Hall, Chowpatty, to-night at 9-30.

Prof. Narayanrao Vyas the well-known Gramophone and Radio Musician has been specially engaged along with Dilruba Player Prof: Pralhadrao Ganoo and Master Navarang.

The Indian Christian Union has been striving hard to bring about a fusion of interests among the Christian Community in Bombay, and has always stood against Communalism. As such, every encouragement must be given to this event.

The 'London Gazette' announces that the King has conferred on Prince George the dignities of Baron Downpatrick, Earl of St. Andrews and Duke of Kent.

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ISSUES BEFORE CONGRESS

The Reception Committee of the Bombay Congress Session has done well to dissipate all rumours about postponement of the session by declaring definitely that there shall be no postponement whatsoever and that the original time-table shall stand. The statement issued by Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel places the question beyond all doubt. A significant feature of the time-table is that the Working Committee is to meet three clear days prior to the Subjects Committee and the latter three days before the Congress Session. That is evidently due to the session being held three years after the last normal one and to a number of important issues having cropped up during the period and calling for full and earnest consideration. As Congress has for the first time adopted Council-entry as an integral part of its programme, some of the old Non-Co-operators and the new Socialist Party may oppose this new activity. But the discussion on this question at this stage will be but academic and the new All-India Congress Committee, as Subjects Committee, is bound to endorse the resolutions of the last A.I.C.C. without prolonged discussion. Then the redoubtable Pandit Malaviya, as the Sardar points out, is sure to raise the question of the Communal Award; and certainly he and the electorate in general ought to be acquainted with the considered opinion of the Congress. If he even then fights that opinion, the people will better understand the decisive features of his politics.

The Socialists' Programme

Far more important is the programme that the Socialists are sure to press upon the Congress. The Bombay Congress Socialist Party has already adopted and published a programme to be recommended to the Congress Session and the programme that may be put forward by the entire body of Congress Socialists will not be materially different from this one, which may, therefore, be regarded as the Socialists' programme to be placed before the Congress. Nothing can be easier for the constitutional realist, who is too often obsessed by the limitations of the present, to peck at this or that item in the programme. For instance, the proposed "elimination of the Princes and Landlords" and "liquidation of arrears of rent" are very radical propositions indeed. But the substance of the demand is thoroughly reasonable, namely, that the Princes must cease to be autocrats and that rent laws and equitable adjustment of arrears of rent should make it impossible for the landlords to exploit and oppress their tenants. It is futile for orthodox Congressmen to hug to their bosom the Karachi Resolution on Fundamental rights and say that is enough unto the day. That resolution was a good beginning but was never meant to be the last word on the subject. Recent events and confused statements by certain Congressmen about the rights of the masses under Swaraj make it necessary to clarify those rights beyond equivocation. A sympathetic discriminating support should, therefore, be given to the Socialists' programme, those items being fearlessly adopted that do justice to the masses, and such only being dropped as are likely to break the unity of, or otherwise weaken, the struggle for Swaraj.

Will He Retire?

Last but not least is the question of Gandhiji's leadership of the Congress. After several days' discussion of the subject the position seems to be that the country insists upon his continuing his leadership, that, if necessary, the Congress would rather accept his final terms than lose his leadership, but that it appeals to him so to modify his proposals that they will be thoroughly practicable and will retain its representative character. It is most unfortunate in this connection that some of the recent utterances of Sardar Vallabhbhai are calculated to prejudice Gandhiji's mind against the continuance of his leadership even before his proposals are considered by the Congress. We are confident, however, Gandhiji has a better conception of his duty to the Congress that has loyally followed him through thick and thin. That body is now confronted with grave difficulties and consequently needs his guidance more than ever. The most loyal servant of the country, Gandhiji cannot afford to ignore its insistent call.

The Marseilles Outrage

It would appear heartless to say so, but the first reaction to the tragedy at Marseilles is a feeling of relief. King Alexander and M. Barthou have died at the hands of an assassin who was not an Albanian, Hungarian, Austrian or Italian but a subject of Yugo-Slavia. A dangerous international crisis—one recalls Sarajevo with a shudder—cannot, therefore, be precipitated. "Complications" are, of course, bound to arise out of this tragedy. Both King Alexander and M. Barthou were men actively in charge of affairs. King Alexander was more or less of a dictator directly guiding Yugo-Slavian policy both inside the country and abroad. Internally, the situation will depend to a large extent on the character and personnel of the Council of Regency that will govern Yugo-Slavia during the minority of the young king. The Croats were always discontented; for, they were either ignored or repressed by the Government that invariably represented Yugo-Slavia proper. It remains to be seen whether retaliation for the outrage or statesmanship will guide the rulers of the country in their immediate treatment of Croatia.

Internationally also the situation, so far as Yugo-Slavia is concerned, will depend partly on the Council that will succeed the dictatorship of King Alexander and partly on the attitude, in regard to foreign policy, of France which is not only the friend but also the philosopher and guide of Yugo-Slavia. The death of M. Barthou is, therefore, more significant, internationally, than that of the King and in more than one aspect. Barthou was a dynamic chauvinist and it was he who actually dominated the present French Government. How his death will affect the Doumergue ministry and who will succeed him? Barthou was an extreme Rightist. It is true that he was instrumental in getting Russia into the League of Nations but the rest of his foreign policy was not conducive to international understanding or good-will. It gave cause for alarm and anxiety what with implacable hostility to Germany, military negotiations with Britain and responsive rivalry with Italy. The question is whether Barthou's policy will be continued or whether France will utilise the opportunity to change it for the better. The appointment of the successor will supply the answer.

GHAFFAR NAGAR IN THE MAKING

Impressions Of A Casual Visitor

Facing the small green hills, and along the seacoast of the New Chowpatty, one comes across an enclosure stretching in an area of some four square miles. Buses and carriages and carts—some with men, others filled with building materials passing swiftly, enthusiastically absorbed in constructing the National Town. Bamboo camps—some already built, others still under construction. One feels one's littleness in this big drama—as if Rome is being built in a day! The sweet sea-melody co-operating with the serenity of the sight and creating an atmosphere as tranquil as the Muses' hymn. Awed at the grandeur and surprized at the simplicity the visitor enters hesitatingly the Congress Camp.

In The Nagar

The big gate partitions the Nagar into two. On the left the visitor enters into an enclosure and his eyes strike a yellow curtain. Behind the curtain there is life. Clerks, and peons and officers and phone receivers and painters and contractors may be seen moving this way and that. He is told that this is the Office of the Construction Department. It is styled as the general section of the Nagar. Behind this general section lies the second section. It constitutes of Delegates' Camps and Family Camps. Then there is the General Congress Pandal, and across the main road special quarters for Mahatmaji, Rajen Babu, President-elect, Sardar Patel, the retiring President, and Khan Abdul Gaffar Khan. The pandal of the Subject Committee together with the office of the A. I. C. C. is situated hard by. This is the third section of the Nagar.

Family Quarters

The fourth section is a little higher up. The visitor raises his head and on an elevated piece of ground he sees the makings of a big hall. This is the Dining Hall. Equipped with all the necessary requirements of an Indian the Dining Hall is a sight unto itself. Family quarters are constructed near the Dining Hall. These quarters are very comfortably partitioned. For one family there is one bed-room, one drawing room and lavatory attached to it. The Congress Hospital is built on the same elevated field.

Exhibition

Coming down on a lower level there is a big enclosure called the Exhibition Ground. He comes to the Ghaffar Gate and finds restaurants just on the right side of the Gate. There is accommodation for a thousand visitors into these stalls. All are complete and one—probably the biggest—restaurant has started its work.

SUPPORT TO CONGRESS

It is very gratifying to note from the statement issued by Dr. B. C. Roy, General Secretary, Congress Parliamentary Board, that in all the districts he toured in connecton with the election campaign he found "unanimous support" for Congress candidates and the Congress view of the Communal Award. Even those, he says, who are not enamoured of the Working Committee's resolution on the Award are anxious to preserve the solidarity of the Congress and deprecate the attempt to create a division in the Congress camp. This is as it should be. The Award is comparatively a minor question and should never be allowed to split the Congress Party. Moreover, the communal question is a purely domestic one and the right attitude is to ignore an external Award calculated to divide the nation and to attempt a voluntary settlement. The Congress attitude is the only one conducive to such settlement.

CONGRESS AT CROSS-ROADS

The Time Has Come To Re-Shape Its Organisation

By G. K. POURANIK.

Within a month, Bombay will have the honour of holding the 48th Session of the Indian National Congress. This session is to be held after the lapse of three critical years, in the political life of the country, and from all appearances, it is safe to predict that it is going to be a historic session in the annals of the Congress. It closes a period of first fifty years in the political evolution of this country and sets the people on the road of freedom, leading to the ultimate goal of complete Independence.

This time the Congress is certainly meeting at a great critical juncture in the life of the country, when new ideologies and thought-currents are springing up in the political arena and the national energy is being frittered away in the absence of a clear-cut programme before the country. In view of these and the coming constitutional changes, it is imperative that the Congress should give a clear lead to the country and remove the present inertia of the people.

What then is likely to be the main programme of the Congress on which the national energy can be focussed in the years to come? In the words of Mahatmaji "Swaraj will not come through councils" and the fight with the Government is out of question for some time to come. It is high time that the energy of the nation was exclusively directed in Nation-building channels and the Congress organisation itself was reshaped.

Permanent Staff

The need of the hour is the strong organisation of the Congress on permanent lines. No one with an insight into the present actual working of the Congress organisation is satisfied with the state of affairs. Nor can an organisation like Congress, which is destined to be the future national government of the country, even function satisfactorily with the help of occasional or voluntary service of the people. Barring a few honourable exceptions here and there, voluntary service all the world over and more especially in this country, where the bread problem is most acute can never be expected to be permanent and disciplined. Congress with its immediate object of complete Independence, can ill-afford to ignore this basic fact of stable administration and see that the present disheartening looseness in its organisation, has become a thing of the past. Not until our supreme political organisation has become so effective and the people working it are of such worth and stamina that they inspire awe in the minds of the bureaucracy and create confidence in those of simple illiterate masses, can the day of deliverance come. Independence in its ordinary accepted sense presupposes the capacity of the people to manage their own affairs efficiently and to defend themselves against a foreign aggression or internal civil wars and disorders. To develop this sort of capacity in the nation the Congress should cease to be a mere political propagandist and demonstrational body that it has been for fifty years.

Nation-Building Programme

The entry of the Congress into the second half century should usher in an era of establishment of National Government in this country and all available national energy should be directed to this one supreme end. Nation-building departments, from rural reconstruction to the creation of national militia, including removal of untouchability, spread of one national language and Swadeshi, should form a part of this comprehensive nation-building programme of the Congress. A permanent machinery for running these and similar other constructive activities should be devised and the best patriotic element in the country be recruited for the service. Pay and prospects for this permanent national civil and volunteer service be fixed in the light of the Karachi resolution of the Congress and permanent funds should be created to ensure regular payment for this national service. Of course, this paid service will be supplemented by honorary service as well, but all national service, whether paid or honorary, should be subject to one uniform law of national service, in all matters pertaining to national work.

Permanent Funds

To begin with, permanent funds for running this national organisation, say to an extent of one crore of rupees a year, can be raised by fixing the number of Congress membership to one crore for the whole of India and raising the 4 annas membership fee to rupee one. Deficit in the annual budget should be made up by sending an influential Congress deputation to important towns to raise necessary money. Certain other sources of income can also be created, but why should not Congress depend on the innate loyalty of the Indian people to look after its finances if they need it? Since no good cause has ever suffered for want of money, this great national institution will not die for want of financial support.

It bears little more elucidation to submit that All-India National head-quarters should permanently be fixed at some centrally si-

(Continued on page 9.)

Frankly Speaking

MAHARAJ SINGH'S OPTIMISM

We fear we cannot share Sir Maharaj Singh's optimism as regards improvement in the feelings between Europeans and Indians in South Africa. Sir Maharaj Singh evidently ignores, to take one instance, that recent and most significant occurrence in South African politics, namely, the amalgamation of the Hertzog and Smuts parties to offer a united White front against Indians and Natives. We recognise, however, that Sir Maharaj Singh, being the representative of the Government of India cannot do otherwise. He must say nothing likely to raise questions as regards the administration of which he is the nominee.

TRUE WARNING

But we entirely endorse his declaration that "it was dangerous—most dangerous—for a country like South Africa to be on anything but friendly terms and relations with 350 million people of India. They could not have friction without danger". The warning is true. But the danger does not exist at the moment for the simple reason that the 350 million people do not count at present with their own "Government". When—and the time is not far distant—they do count by coming into their own South Africa will recognise the danger of humiliating India's self-respect and ignoring her economic interests. And if there is "friction" then, India will not suffer so much as South Africa.

DISQUALIFICATION CLAUSE.

A curious question is reported to have arisen in Madras with regard to the interpretation of the rule disqualifying a candidate for election on account of imprisonment for more than one year. It is whether the rule disqualifies those civil resisters who have been sentenced on more than one count or more than one occasion and the total period of imprisonment awarded aggregates to over one year, though on each count the period was not more than a year. It is said that the legal opinion sought by the Local Government was that the rule could not apply in such cases. Yet when a number of Congress candidates applied to Government for clarifying the position the latter refused to do so on the plea that it was for the Returning Officer to interpret the rule.

UNFAIR TACTICS.

The Government's reply is most unsatisfactory and is calculated, if not designed, to keep things in doubt till the last when a surprise may be sprung on the candidates by the Returning Officer. The Government of India have conferred wide discretionary powers on the Provincial Governments in applying the rule in question. If the Government meant to be fair, it was their duty to clarify the legal position and to remove the disqualification in the cases noted above. But they have not done so. On the contrary, it is rumoured that the Madras Cabinet is dominated by the Chief Minister, the Raja of Bobbili, who is said to have openly thrown in all his influence and resources arising from his official position against the Congress candidates. But the Government as a whole would be held responsible for the unfair tactics pursued by partisan officials against the Congress candidates.

-PRESS VIEWS-

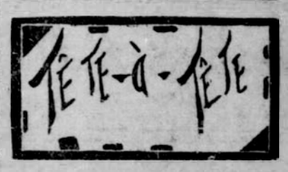
"A Blessing In Disguise"

The darkest cloud is said to be not without its silver lining. The wrath of the Simla authorities on Khan Abdul Gaffar Khan has proved a blessing in disguise. They have in their wisdom banned his entry into the Frontier Province. The Frontier people, who were all eager to welcome their leader, have no doubt been deprived for the time being of his inspiring presence in their midst. But the loss of the Frontier Province is the gain of other provinces. Since his release the "Frontier Gandhi" has been touring many places with only one object in view, namely, to combat communalism and ultimately crush it out of existence.

The Khan Saheb's is a great and arduous task. But he is not the man to quail before it. On the contrary, he is confident of success. His appeal will prove effective. For, he appeals not with any ulterior end in view. His one sole end is the freedom of the country. Let us hope the "Frontier Gandhi" will succeed where others have failed and will kill the demon of communalism by waging a relentless fight against it. But the task is too stupendous for one man to do. The Khan Saheb has unfurled his banner. Let our young men, still untainted by selfishness, gather under it and work for the freedom of their Motherland.—"A. B. Patrika."

The Right Lead

We think the responsibility for giving a lead to the nation belongs to the Congress which has had a great past and can fight and sacrifice for its ideal. Nations are by themselves made, and if that ideal has appealed to any organisation in the country it is the Congress. The country stands in need of a vigorous and dynamic programme, a programme of action and not of speculation, of decision and not of hesitation. It is true that the Congress forces have been demoralised to some extent. It is also true that there is a certain amount of despair and disillusionment. It is for the Congress in Bombay to restore confidence and bring Congressmen back to their place. We must remember that we are all confronted to-day with a common problem, the problem of India's freedom, of our right to manage our own affairs and to shape our own political destiny. There must be an insistent call for unity in the ranks of Congressmen. There must be a common purpose and a common programme to achieve it. —"Advance."



According to some local reports Pandit M. M. Malaviya, President-elect of the All-India Humanitarian Conference, has expressed his inability to preside.

How one wishes he expressed his inability to preside over "All-India Congress Nationalist Party." It is certainly less humanitarian than the Humanitarian Conference.

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Rao Bahadur Srinivasan, "Depressed Class leader" and a signatory to the Poona Pact, admits that Congress nominees for the Assembly richly deserve Harijans' support but it shouldn't be given because Harijans "would be incurring the displeasure of the Government."

Government first, Harijans afterwards, would be the best slogan of the Rao Bahadur's leadership in the service of the Harijans. And quite justifiably so.

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"The issue," Mr. Ramaswami Mudaliar told a Madras audience, "is whether you are going to be bamboozled by catchwords and phrases or whether you are going to face the live issues before the country."

Live issues born of deadened national self-respect?

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"Sir Maharaj Singh, however, saw signs of change, and believed that feelings between Indians and Europeans in South Africa would improve."—Reuter.

If he didn't see and believe he would be recalled on the ground of being unfit to act as the Agent of the Government of India.

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STATUE FOR LORD WILLINGDON

PRINCES' REGARD FOR HIM

His Excellency
Deeply Touched
—Headlines.

Why? Isn't his Excellency India's present Viceroy and, therefore, entitled to all the privileges of the high office?

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"The Independence of India League held a meeting on Chaupati Sands on Tuesday. Vigorous speeches denouncing the present Congress programme and leadership and calling for a clear-cut programme of National Revolution were delivered and finally a resolution was duly passed with unanimous acclamation emphatically condemning——the detention of certain Labour Leaders under the Ordinances!"

The League ought to rechristen itself the Irrelevance League of India.

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In a pending by-election in London a straight fight between a Liberal and a Labourite has been complicated by the intervention of a National Labour candidate.

Herein India can teach England something. Our National Congressmen do not confuse matters between Liberals and Congressmen. They simply transfer their support to the Liberals which is MUCH better.

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The Spanish Government under M. Lerroux intends to outlaw the Socialist Party.

The next step ought to be to inlaw the outlaw—King Alfonso.

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"Attempts to find out what the home life of cave men was like, by studying the caves they lived in, are," we learn, "to be made by Soviet scientists."

They WOULD do revolutionary, subversive things.

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MYSTERY OF "LUMINOUS WOMAN"

Scientists' Vain Efforts To Photograph Rays Of Light
—Headlines.

No wonder.

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"Dad," said his son, "do you think they will ever find a substitute for gasoline?"

"They have one now, my son, and I wish you'd give it a trial."

"Oh!" queried the son incredulously. "I've never heard of it. What is it, anyway?"

"Shoe leather," explained Dad.

Assassin's Dash At King Alexander

Croat Evades Police And Outrider

Even When Struck By Sabre He Continued To Fire From The Ground

MARSEILLES, October 9.

A graphic story of the crime was told by Colonel Piollet, an outrider on the left of the royal car. "The car in which the King, M. Barthou and General Georges were riding was just opposite the Bourse when I saw a man break away from the crowd, flash past the policeman on the kerb, spring in front of my horse, and jump on the running board of the royal car. I pulled my horse round to throw him off, but was not quick enough to prevent him thrusting his arm through the window and emptying his automatic at the King.

"I raised my sabre, struck down the man who rolled on the ground, whilst the chauffeur fired at him. The assassin continued firing from the ground."

BEYOND DOCTORS' AID

A heart-breaking scene was witnessed in the vast saloon of the Prefecture to which the King was carried. He was laid on a wide green silk-covered couch while the doctors hurriedly bent over him. The red ribbon of the Legion of Honour across his breast was soaked a deeper hue.

It was soon evident that the doctors' help was in vain. The King was laid full length on the cough with a flag across his feet. He was resting almost as if asleep. His face was calm but dead white.

On either side stand two guards with sabres raised in salute, flowers are already strewn on the floor. On either side of the couch stand two small green candles which are the sole illumination.

FAITHFUL VALET SOBS

In a corner of the room a whitehaired man stands sobbing. He is the King's valet who had known him as a child, was his friend and confidant, as well as servant.—Reuter.

ACCESSION OF PRINCE PETER ANNOUNCED

BELGRADE Oct. 10.

The accession of Prince Peter has been formally announced by a proclamation which is being published in this morning's newspapers.

The Government, Army and Navy have already taken the oath of allegiance to the young King. Reuter.

ENGLISH POLICE GUARD PRINCE PETER

LONDON, Oct. 9.

It has long been a grim tradition that the Kings of Serbia never die in their beds but always in exile or at the hands of the assassin. The Surrey police have already put a special guard round the school of Prince Peter, the new King.

King Alexander is mourned all over Europe, not only as a man but as a statesman of European importance. Messages from various capitals show how deeply official and private circles have been shocked.

Whatever the Italian attitude may have been as regards recent developments in Yugoslavia, there is a profound feeling of horror in official circles in Rome and among the public at the assassination. The Italian Government have telegraphed their profound condolences with the Yugoslavian Government.—Reuter.

"GUARD YUGO-SLAVIA"

King Alexander's Last Words Before Death

BELGRADE, Oct. 9.

The late King in his testament appointed a Regency Council consisting of Prince Paul, M Stankovitch, Ex-Minister education, M. Banterovitch, Governor of Zagreb.

The King's last words were "Guard Yugo-Slavia, the Government and nation must be worthy of its King.—Reuter.

TEN PERSONS INJURED

Policeman Dies From Wounds

MARSEILLES, Oct. 10.

It is officially stated that nine civilians and one policeman were wounded by the assassin's bullets and the policeman has since died.

General Georges is in a critical condition in the military hospital.—Reuter.

QUEEN ON WAY TO MARSEILLES

(SPECIAL CABLE.)

LYONS, Oct. 10.

Queen Marie has arrived here and is proceeding to Marseilles accompanied by Madame Herriot, wife of the ex-Premier. The Queen is displaying magnificent courage, but fainted at Besancon where a doctor was hastily summoned.

Replying to the condolences of the Perfect of Lyons the Queen said her one desire was to accomplish the journey as quickly as possible.

QUEEN REMAINS IN SWITZERLAND

BASLE, Oct. 9.

The Queen of Yugoslavia learned of her husband's death by telegram from Paris, but has decided not to proceed to France nor return to Belgrade, but for the time being to remain in Switzerland till further arrangements are made.

Before leaving Belgrade King Alexander vested Royal powers in the Council of Ministers.—Reuter.

NATIONAL MOURNING IN FRANCE

PARIS, Oct. 9.

The French Government has decided on a month's national mourning for King Alexander, and a State funeral for M. Barthou. The remains of King Alexander will be taken back to Yugoslavia aboard the cruiser "Dubrovnik" with escort of French warships. President Lebrun, M. Tardieu and M. Herriot are leaving for Marseilles this evening.

The Queen of Yugoslavia is expected in Marseilles to-morrow morning.—Reuter.

QUEEN MARIE ILL

PARIS, Oct. 9.

Queen Marie's train was stopped at Lons-le-Saunier, South Besancon, and a doctor was summoned. —Reuter.

BRITISH PRESS COMMENTS

LONDON, Oct. 10.

The new complications in the tangled situation in the Balkans arising from the assassination of King Alexander, are the theme of leading articles in the morning newspapers, which pay a tribute to the King's patriotism and his efforts to achieve a better understanding in Europe.

"The Times" says there are signs that King Alexander's high personal character and devotion to duty had begun to win back many Croats whom his policy had alienated while the threatening reappearance of Germany and the threat to Austrian independence had rallied many doubters to the King's side. From a general European standpoint the murder is all the more disastrous since King Alexander had long maintained a firm directing hand on the foreign policy of Yugoslavia.

"The Daily Telegraph" declares King Alexander's death at the beginning of important negotiations breaks the hopes based on his courageous statesmanship and leadership towards a better understanding between France, Italy and Yugoslavia.—Reuter.

BOYCOTT OF AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE

Postponed For A Month By Grocers' Association

LONDON, Oct. 9.

The Northern Council of the Grocers' Association in Manchester has decided to postpone for another month the proposed boycott of Australian produce in support of the Lancashire cotton industry's protest against the new tariff on certain classes of yarn and piecegoods.—Reuter Special.

"WANTED" MAN ARRESTED

Stolen Property Worth Rs. 1,000 Said To Have Been Recovered

JUBBULPORE, Oct. 10.

Bihari, a Thakore of Ujjain, who was wanted by the local police for committing numerous thefts and house-breakings in the city has at last been arrested at Danch and property worth about Rs. 1,000 is alleged to have been recovered from him.

The accused, it is said, was a member of a gang which was recently sentenced by the High Court, Allahabad to five years' rigorous imprisonment.

Mst. Ram Dulari, a rich Hindu widow, who was robbed of about Rs. 10,000 and Shree Krishna a merchant, have identified part of the property seized while efforts are being made by the police to have the remainder identified.—United Press.

NEWS WITHELD FROM SERBIAN PUBLIC

BELGRADE, Oct. 9.

The news of the deaths of King Alexander and M. Barthou has been withheld from the public. Newspapers have been forbidden to publish the news. Cinemas and cafes are open as usual and bands are playing in the streets of the city.

Meanwhile, the capitals of the world have been thrown into a turmoil. All telephonic communications with foreign countries have been closed in the evening, only Government traffic being permitted.—Reuter.

HEIR WILL BE PROCLAIMED KING

BELGRADE, Oct. 9.

An official communique says the Government are fully aware of the difficult situation created by the King's death, and are taking all measures in the interests of the state and people.

The heir to the throne will be proclaimed King, but as he is a minor a Regency will be nominated consisting of men named in the King's last will.—Reuter.

DOUMERGUE TAKES OVER

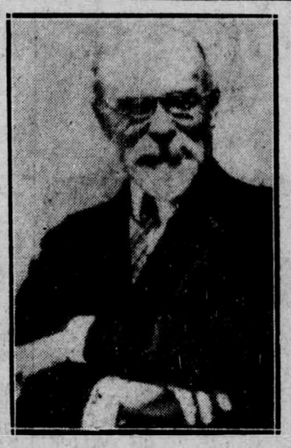
PARIS, Oct. 10.

M. Doumergue has decided to take over provisionally the Foreign Affairs portfolio.—Reuter.

PEOPLE STRICKEN WITH GRIEF

BELGRADE, Oct. 10.

An official communique states that the country is quiet and the people everywhere are sad but calm. The Cabinet continue to exercise Royal power until it has been decided whether the King has nominated his regents. If not, the regents will be elected at a joint meeting of the Senate and Parliament.—Reuter's Special.



M. Louis Barthou, the French Foreign Minister, who was assassinated at Marseilles on Tuesday.

Barthou's Body Lying Beside King's

(SPECIAL CABLE).

MARSEILLES, Oct. 10.

Early this morning M. Barthou's body was borne on a hearse to the Prefecture where it was laid beside the King's. The French and Yugoslav Generals are standing guard over them.

STATE FUNERAL FOR BARTHOU

MARSEILLES, Oct. 10.

Barthou's body escorted by the Cabinet colleagues will be conveyed to Paris to-night, when it will be taken to the famous cloak room of Quai d'Orsay. The Cabinet decided this morning that he should be accorded a state funeral on Saturday.

PRINCE GEORGE'S WEDDING NOT AFFECTED

LONDON, Oct. 10.

The Boy-King Peter, in a strongly-guarded police car, visited his grandmother, Queen Marie of Roumania, in her hotel.

The Duke of Kent, and the Duke of Connaught have also arrived to express their condolences together with numerous diplomats.

Court mourning has been ordered till the 22nd instant.

The wedding of Prince George and Princess Marina remains unaffected by the incident.—Reuter.

Twelve Days' Mourning

RUGBY, Oct. 10.

It was announced in London this morning that the Court of Saint James will go into full mourning from to-day for twelve days, until Monday, October 22nd, when it will go out of mourning. —B.O.W.

BELGRADE SHOCKED BY NEWS

(SPECIAL CABLE).

BELGRADE, Oct. 10.

Women fainted and ex-soldiers who fought under King Alexander in three wars shook with sobs on learning the news of the King's death from the black-bordered newspapers this morning.

Unparalleled scenes of grief were witnessed throughout the country. Muffled bells were tolling in Churches, and shops were closed draped in black. Flags fly above every building, while the public buildings are closely guarded.

The murderer whose name is Kelemann was tried by the Court under the Defence of the Realm Act a few months ago for the murder of Doctor Neudorfer, the Croat Minister of Agriculture, during his dictatorship, but was acquitted, though his brother was sonment. Kelemann was thirty-sonment. Kelemann was thirty-five years old and belongs to a group of political refugees encamped in Hungary. The police state that his passport was forged.

WORLD SERIES BASEBALL

St. Louis Win Title By Defeating Detroit

(SPECIAL CABLE)

DETROIT, Oct. 9.

In Baseball, St. Louis won the World Series beating Detroit by 11-0.

BAJPAI LOSES RACE

Kunwar Jagadish Prasad Will Succeed Sir Fazli Hussein

ZAFARULLAH TO REPLACE BHORE

(From Our Special Correspondent)

SIMLA, Oct. 10.

The announcement from New Delhi regarding the successors of Sir Fazli Hussain and Sir Joseph Bhore came to be known in Simla this evening just as the Secretariat was closing for the day. It sets at rest the speculations that have been indulged in for some months past.

Firstly there is to be no extension of the term for either Sir Fazli Hussain or Sir Joseph Bhore. The former will, therefore, vacate his office as Education Member on the first of April, while the latter will vacate his office as Commerce Member sometime in May.

SIR FAZLI'S SUCCESSOR.

According to the announcement Kunwar Jagadish Prasad takes over the Education Membership from Sir Fazli Hussain on the first of April. And when Sir Joseph Bhore vacates his office in May, Choudhri Zafarullah will take over the Commerce portfolio. So much is the literal and legal meaning of the language of the communique.

At the same time there is doubt whether Choudhri Zafarullah will be given the portfolio of Commerce and Railways. It is considered very probable that Sir Frank Noyce will be transferred to the office of the Member for Commerce and Railways and that Choudhri Zafarullah will take over the Membership of Industries and Labour which includes Posts and Telegraphs.

HAILEY'S SUPPORT.

Kunwar Jagadish Prasad is a landlord and, strictly speaking, now a non-official. But he has served in the Indian Civil Service in the United Provinces for 30 years. He was fully backed by Sir Malcolm Hailey in this race for the membership.

BAJPAI LOSES.

There is considerable sympathy expressed for Mr. G. S. Bajpai who has lost in the race. It appears that there was a dead set from a section of the civilians against such a junior officer of the Civil Service reaching the topmost rung of the ladder so soon, whatever his merits may be. Mr. Bajpai's term of office as Education Secretary will terminate sometime in August 1935 when, it is generally believed, he will get an extension for three years or that he will be appointed as Vice-Chairman of the Imperial Council of Agricultural Research in place of Sir Vijayaraghavachari.

NEW VICEREGAL CABINET.

Choudhri Zafarullah Khan is now in London. He acted once for about four months in the place of Sir Fazli Hussain as Education Member. In this race for membership of the Executive Council Chowdhari Zafarullah had thus an advantage over others. Moreover, the part he played at the Round Table Conference was considered to be very constructive. There will be from almost the commencement of the next Simla season in 1935 the following as members of the Viceroy's Executive Council:

Sir Frank Noyce who will probably be in charge of Commerce and Railways, Sir N. N. Sircar, Law Member, Sir James Grigg, Finance Member, Sir Henry Craik, Home Member Kunwar Jagadish Prasad, Education Member, and Choudhri Zafarullah, Member for Industries and Labour. And in accordance with the normal practice of the senior-most Member being the Leader of the House, Sir Frank Noyce will be Leader of the Legislative Assembly and Sir N. N. Sircar will become the Leader of the Council of State. But the first fury of the Congressmen and Nationalists entering the Assembly early in January next will have to be met by an experienced hand like Sir Joseph Bhore.

Queen Marie Reaches Marseilles

MARSEILLES, Oct. 10

Queen Marie dressed in black, looking pale, and broken by grief arrived here and greeted at Station by the Minister of Marine, and the Military, Naval Civil authorities and proceeded by motor-car to the Prefecture where King Alexander's body is lying in State.

She entered the death chamber, accompanied by Madame Herriot, two Dames d'Honneur and showed admirable courage and looked most dignified. During the journey to Marseilles the Queen fainted several times, and had a serious breakdown at Lyon.—Reuter.

Spain Will Outlaw Socialist Party

Death Penalty For Use Of Arms

MADRID, October 9.

The Cortes opened this afternoon surrounded by a cordon of troops and police.

The Monarchists thunderously cheered M. Lerroux.

No left-wing Deputies were present.

It is understood that they were excluded, because Government intends to outlaw the Socialist Party.

PEACE WILL BE MAINTAINED

M. Lerroux in a speech emphasised his determination to maintain order, and unity in the Motherland.

It is understood that a law will be passed providing death sentence to people illegally carrying arms.

Spasmodic rioting continues in the provinces but it is officially announced that the general situation all over Spain has improved.

EX-PREMIER ARRESTED

Ex-premier Azana has been arrested and is being detained in police head-quarters, pending his appearance before a special judge.—Reuter.

DEATH PENALTY FOR SERIOUS OFFENCE

MADRID, Oct. 10.

The Cortes has passed the law prescribing penal servitude or death penalty for illegal use of arms.

The death penalty will be applied in cases where the use of arms is attended with fatal results.

The Cortes has also voted for an increase of 46,000,000 pesetas for police services.

Left-wing Republicans and Socialists were voluntarily absent from the meeting.—Reuter.

BENGAL P. C. C. MEETING

Victory For B. C. Roy's Group

CALCUTTA, Oct. 10.

The Bengal Provincial Congress Committee this evening held its first meeting, since the removal of the ban on it. Two hundred members attended. After electing 14 co-opted members (seven Mahomedans and seven women) which took four hours, the meeting adjourned till to-morrow morning, when office bearers will be elected. The meeting was not open to the Press.

It is understood that attempts to bring about a compromise between rival groups and to secure the adoption of an agreed list failed. Voting ultimately proceeded on party lines, and resulted in a victory for the group led by Dr. B. C. Roy who had a majority of 25 votes. It is rumoured that the defeated party may not take further part in the proceedings to-morrow.—A. P.

MISSING AIRMEN FOUND IN DESERT?

BAGDAD, Oct. 9.

An unconfirmed report says that the missing Bombay airmen have landed in the desert township of Amghar, west of Koweit.

They have however not yet been found by the searching Air Force planes.—Reuter.

Cocanada Conspiracy Case Appeal

MADRAS, Oct. 10.

At the High Court to-day, four criminal appeals preferred on behalf of Prathivathi Bayankarachari and three other accused in the Cocanada Conspiracy Case were admitted.

It may be remembered that Bayankarachari was sentenced by the Additional Sessions Judge of Godavari to transportation for life and the other accused to various terms of imprisonment on a charge of criminal Conspiracy.—A. P.

RIOTING AT KOILPATTI

MADRAS, Oct. 10.

A Tinnevelly message says that news has been received there of rioting which occurred at Katcheri Dalavapuram village in Koilpatti Taluk between Nadars and other classes in which seven persons received injuries.—A. P.

Barisal.—Twenty-one Khasmahal tenures and seven permanently settled estates have been sold by auction for default in respect of Government revenue of the June 'kist.'

Altogether 574 estates were advertised for sale.

STRONG POLICE GUARD IN MARSEILLES

MARSEILLES, Oct. 10.

A vast silent crowd of people is gazing at the windows of the Prefecture, where the bodies of King Alexander and M. Barthou are being embalmed.

The bodies are lying in the grand salon transformed into a Chapelle Ardente.

The Queen of Jugoslavia with her attendant ladies is praying in the adjoining room. The Queen's bearing throughout has been subdued and courageous.

When M. Lebrun, M. Tardieu and M. Herriot arrived by a special train from Paris, the streets were full of people with black marks and were lined with strong forces of police.

The body of M. Barthou is being sent to Paris to-day, while King Alexander's body will be taken to Yugoslavia on board the cruiser "Dubrovnik."

On meeting the Queen, M. Lebrun was much affected and both were weeping.

The wounded woman died in the hospital, bringing the death-roll to four. The condition of the wounded General Georges is very satisfactory.—Reuter.

Cesarewitch Acceptors

(Special Cable)

LONDON, Oct. 10.

The following are the Cesarewitch final acceptors with weights.

Loose Strife 9-2; Coton Easter 9-1; Negro 8-7; Solimans Feast 8-3; Roi de Paris 8-1; Donasol 8-0; White Plains 7-13; Hands Off 7-13; Sans Espoir 7-13; Enfield 7-10; Dejazomba 7-9; Spring Morning 7-8; Saint Reynard 7-7, Savonette 7-6; Lady Clodagh 7-5; Bunkawai 7-4; Polly Stephens 7-4; Frivolite Second 7-3; Mandritsara 7-3; Solar Boy 7-3; Labour Member 7-1; Dusty 7-1; Penny-a-Liner 6-12; Venery 6-12; Quartz 6-11; India Rubber 6-9; Short Run 6-9; Water Tight 6-8; Lenin 6-7; Rising Sun 6-7; Jack Tar 6-7 and Shining Cloud 6-7.

Calcutta.—Sailendra Bose, a B.Sc. student of Vidyasagar College, has committed suicide by taking potassium cyanide for extreme difficulties in defraying expenses of study.

Calcutta.— Seth Jugalkishore Birla has donated a sum of Rs. 1,600 to the monks of Nishihonganji in Kyoto, (Japan), through the Japanese Consul-General for distribution among the sufferers of the recent Typhoon in Japan. —United Press.

Grievances Of Municipal Servants

"ONE LAW FOR OFFICERS, ANOTHER FOR SUBORDINATES"

Our Readers' Views

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—Is there one law for the subordinate staff and another for officers in the Bombay Municipality? Is it governed by a bureaucracy similar to the one of which we hear so much elsewhere? Such are the reflections of one who carefully watches the trend of events in that 'democratic' institution. With much ado, the Corporation passes a resolution requiring its employees to retire after they complete their fifty fifth year In the same breath, however it gives extension to an officer and sets at naught its own resolution. Our City-Fathers wax eloquent over the incorrigible and irrepressible tendency of the executive towards extravagance; but when a proposal for increasing the salary of an officer turns up, they tumble over one another to support the proposal.

In sharp contrast with this generosity towards the officers, stands the illiberal treatment of the 'new entrants' in municipal service. This term has been interpreted in two different ways by the Corporation and the Standing Committee. While the interpretation of the Corporation is very favourable to the higher executive drawing a salary of Rs. 200 and above, the interpretation of the Standing Committee is extremely onerous to the subordinate staff. It is incomprehensible to human intelligence how in the case of higher staff, only those recruited after 16-7-1931 are 'new entrants' while in the case of subordinate staff, employees recruited before that date also are to be regarded as 'new entrants' The decision of the Standing Committee,coming as it does on the heels of the Corporation resolution, is really indefensible and cannot be explained as an oversight.

What intrigues one to know is the exact nature of the considerations and influences that impelled the Standing Committee to a course of action which has resulted in widespread injustice. For aught I know, the muddle is due to the representations of an expert that restoration of the old grades to the so-called 'new entrants' would mean creation of insurmountable problems in accountancy. Considering the fact that even the Municipal Commissioner was in favour of the employees, it does not strain one's credulity to believe that there is some substratum of truth in the story. Whatever that may be, the fact remains that the Standing Committee deliberately chose to accept a different definition of the term 'new entrant' without pausing to consider the implications and consequences of its decision. Can the Committee defy the wishes of the Corporation and adopt a different policy? Are the comfort and convenience of an officer and his department more precious in its eyes than the rights and privileges of its employees? Is it not aware that such differential treatment affects the morale and undermines the efficiency of the staff? When the Corporation maintains a fat-salaried accountant and a whole hierarchy of Deputy Accountants and Assistant Accountants to assist him, it is nothing short of levity for anybody to suggest that of all things accounting problem is the one insuperable obstacle to the rendering of justice. Surely two wrongs cannot make one right.

It is interesting to know that recently one officer got such a phenomenal increment that his one increment alone would have sufficed to accommodate the claims of the 'new entrants' and yet in the case of the latter, financial stringency is pleaded as an argument against the conceding of their just claims. It does not occur to the Committee that while one such increment to an officer normally goes to swell his bank-balance, divided among one hundred 'new entrants,' would have brought some cheer to nearly hundred lower middle class families who hover over the very margin of subsistence.

It is therefore, the duty of Standing Committee and the Corporation to remedy the injustice done to the employees. A question which so vitally affects their well-being deserves to be treated above the level of party consideration. It is well for the city fathers to remember that lesson of such episodes, small as they are, are not lost upon the municipal electorate in these days.—Yours, etc.,

ONLOOKER.

Is Materialism Dead?

To The Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—May I ask for a little space to enter a strong protest? The other day, I wrote a short note which was published in the "Times of India," on "Mind and Matter," I consider that the letter was quite harmless and I simply gave expression to a view, held, "rightly or wrongly," by the vast majority of thinking people. Dr. D'Avoine, the "high priest" of Rationalism in India; instead of calmly replying to it in the columns in which my letter appeared, rushes to the columns of your evening contemporary (the 'Sentinel"): and the Editor of that paper has published three long articles which purport to be a reply to what I wrote. I have nothing to say in regard to this procedure, but I must protest in the strongest possible manner, against what I must call, the typical "Jesuitical Manner," in which both Dr. D'Avoine and the Editor of the "Sentinel" have conducted this controversy. Dr. D'Avoine proceeded to twist, and misrepresent completely what I actually wrote in the columns of your morning contemporary, and such is the extraordinary notion of fair-play, of "Freedom of thought" and opinion displayed on this occasion by these two gentlemen, that they seem to have entered into a sort of conspiracy to "suppress" any view expressed contrary to theirs. Clearly some "Free-Thinkers," these!! So much this, by way of protest. Let me now come to Dr. D'Avoine's so-called "rejoinder." He is guilty of a shocking misrepresentation, when he accuses me of having said that "Victorian Science is dead." What I did say was, and that I again repeat is that, the "A red materialism of the 19th century is now as dead as the Dodo." This, I thought was known to every school boy, (not alone Macaulay's notorious "school boy"). It is not a matter of opinion at all, but a question of fact. It is a scientific fact, despite the efforts of papers like the "Free Thinker" and the "Literary Guide"—to suppress it. The bottom of it was knocked away by the momentous discovery of Einstein and others in regard to the structure of the atom. Every educated person is now familiar with the facts. The props were knocked from under the materialism of the last century by the discovery that the atom is neither "indestructible nor indivisible." Whatever may be the nature of matter" the electron, the smallest unit known to us, is "Not" matter. That is a scientific discovery: a stupendous fact: a scientific fact, and no amount of ignorant bluster on the part of "Free-thinkers" can dispose of it. I am sick and tired of the pomposity, pretentiousness and futility of the average agnostic. Unless we bow down and worship Hackel of Jena: unless we do "Poojah" every morning, at that holy shrine—we are all branded as "imperfectly educated" persons, etc., etc. I refuse to be bullied and badgered in this manner by any "Free Thinker," simply because I believe the evidence of modern science, especially of modern astronomy. Let us at least, calmly examine facts. the first sriking lesson that modern astronomy has brought home, is the stupendous vastness of the Sidereal Universe. Within the last 25 years astronomical horizons have widened enormously for the human race, and these have put out of court all the speculations of Spencer and of Haeckel. Indeed, Herbert Spencer latterly, repeatedly said that the Cosmos demanded an "Explanation." Modern astronomy teaches, that the sun is only one item among "thirty thousand million"' other items, which compose one galaxy. With the newest and largest telescope, two million of these galaxies are within reach of human vision. And this great universe, in which the earth's status is revealed to be so very humble, "demands a cause" to explain it. The Vaster the Cosmos the "greater the cause" of it must be. Faced by these enormous facts, what argument can we put forward to explain them? One and only one is possible, and that argument is that, an all powerful supreme being is an "intellectual necessity." It was this that drove such a stupendous genius like Sir Isaac Newton and also Kepler, to believe in a Supreme Being. It was this which drove a man "greater than Newton," viz. Einstein, to believe it also. It makes me sick to hear, persons referring to these giants as "imperfectly educated persons," which is the stock argument of every scribbler in the "Free Thinker," and other aetheist publications. Dr. D'Avoine seems wholly incapable of grasping one important fact viz. that, science is not in any concerned with "origins." It is only a description of facts, and a formulation of laws. He forgets that all his attacks on Religion, in as nay affect religion; his attacks are really directed only against "theology," which is not the same thing as religion. The theologians have said, and do say many foolish things. Scientists have routed theology, but no competent scientist has ever claimed a victory over religion. For example, whether the earth moves or not, the 'values' of true religion remain the same. Take the Darwinian theory as an example, where scripture was pressed in to discredit a scientific theory. It creates a bias against religion, when theology oversteps its province in this way. All matters connected with the Universe are 'Scientific' matters, but the Deity has given us rational faculties, to find out about them by the intellect. But no man of science can legitimately say—"Look here, all this religious experience is illusory." If he does, he is outstepping his province, and bringing some preconceived theory into play. He has no right at all to come between the deeply religious man and his Creator. This is precisely what every scribbler in publication like the "Free Thinker," is doing, and against all this I strongly protest. It is a proved fact that modern science, especially astronomy, points unmistakably 'Not' to agnosticism but to 'Theism.' He is a foolish man who argues to the contrary.—Yours etc.,

J.

Poona, Oct. 9.

Shankaracharya And Sir Cowasji

To The Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—I may be permitted to point out that Mr. Vallabhbhai Patel in one of his recent speeches is reported to have attributed to His Holiness Shri Shankaracharya of Puri as or having "advised the Hindus to support the candidature of Sir Cowasji Jehangir who in his turn promised to support Sanatanism in India." The above utterance of Mr. Vallabhbhai Patel about Shri Shankaracharya is nothing but a perversion of facts as I was present near His Holiness at the meeting of the Sanatanists wherein he is alleged to have made the above remarks attributed to him. In fact His Holiness did not even mention the name of Sir Cawasji Jehangir nor even made any reference to him nor is there any truth in the other statement of Mr. Vallabhbhai that "Sir Cawasji in his turn promised to support Sanatanism in India in particular."—Yours, etc.,

MANUBHAI C. PANDYA.

Bombay, Oct. 10.

Distribution Of Cinema Bills

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—I am glad to read in yesterday's issue of your paper a letter from "A Cinema goer" who has done well to bring to the notice of the public a shabbily-clad young man with hardly any clothes on his body distributing cinema hand-bills to the passersby.'

In this connection, Sir I have something more to say. The shabbily-clad young man referred to by your correspondent is a leper. I have found this man sitting with lepers on the footpath of the P. W. D Secretariat near the bus stand. On careful observation, one finds his left-hand palm wrapped up in some dirty piece of cloth. The left-hand is kept suspended by means of a sling round his neck. The cinema hand-bills are held tight between the left-hand palm and the belly and are distributed by the right hand which does not seem to have caught infection.

Your correspondent writes"... he may be infected with some dangerous disease which may be injurious to the public." Now let the public know that he is a leper who is now also found distributing some hand-bills in the suburban trains of the B B and C I Railway. More often than not. I have seen him sleeping on the bences near the marble statue of the late Mr. Gopal Krishna Gokhale.

It must, therefore now be the duty of the cinema proprietors, BB and C I Railway authorities and the Police to see that this young leper is prevented from spreading the disease which has proved to be a source of constant danger to the public of Bombay since a very long time.—Yours, etc.,

A. A. R.

The King has conferred on Prince George the dignities of Baron Downpatrick, Earl of St. Andrews and Duke of Kent.

NO LOANS & NO GRANTS-IN-AID

Bandra Municipality Deplores Govt's "Apathy

ADMINISTRATION REPORT

(From Our Correspondent).

BANDRA, Oct. 9.

The Administration Report for 1933-34 submitted by Mr. H. R. Michael. President of the Bandra Municipality, makes ample reference to the visit of Sir Frederick Sykes.

"His Excellency remarked," is the concluding paragraph of the pertinent section, "that an efficient Municipality in addition to contributing to the amenities of the inhabitants of the town confers a great benefit upon the country in general by affording such an admirable training ground in the management of public affairs and the Municipality of Bandra has made in this connection, a splendid contribution to the growth of a civic sense in the country as a whole."

DRAINAGE SCHEME.

At the commencement of the report the contemplated merger with Santa-Cruz is foreshadowed. Dealing with the financial position of the Municipality, the report states, that the Revenue after excluding the Provident Fund, showed an increase of Rs. 26,920, whilst the Expenditure marked a fall of Rs. 43,194. The economical results of asphalting and underground drains have already begun to show inasmuch as Rs. 14,266, were saved thereby. The report, however, dismisses Bandra's live issue, viz: drainage scheme with the scant remark, "The scheme has gone through all the stages and has been finally sanctioned by Government and only awaits sanction to the application for a loan to start work." (It is nearly a year since the application was forwarded).

PROGRESS IN EDUCATION.

Referring to education, the report remarks: "Primary compulsory education in the Municipal Schools has made great progress since its inception and free compulsory education is imparted to no less than 2,823 children." The outstanding grievance of all local bodies against the apathy of Government is ventilated thus: "In the past, Government were pleased to assist the Municipalities towards the attainment of most urgent requirements by granting loans and grants-in-aid, but owing to the financial stringency no loans from Government are received with the result that many capital works of improvement are being provided out of the current revenue.

KAMALA NEHRU Removed To Bhawali

ALLAHABAD, Oct. 10.

Mrs Kamla Nehru left for Bhawali, to-day, from Pryag station which is closest to Anand Bhawan. She was brought to the platform on a stretcher, and placed over two seats of a motor-car.

The patient was escorted to Bhawali by Dr. Atal, two European nurses, and a lady friend.

The stretcher was put through the window of a first class reserved compartment. Mrs. Nehru looked cheerful and a number of friends and relatives saw her off.—A.P.

CONGRESS VICTORIES

(Continued from page 1.)

by Mr Munshi Ishwar Saran.—A. P.

GANDHIJI'S WIRE TO SATYAMURTI

MADRAS, Oct. 10

Mr. S. Satyamurti received the following telegram to-day from Mahatma Gandhi:—

"I would like the electors to consider not the persons, but the principles which the institutions they represent embody. If Congress had deserved well of the country they will not hesitate to choose the Congress representatives"—United Press.

Satyamurti Files Nomination

MADRAS, Oct. 10.

Mr. Satyamurthi presented his nomination paper as a candidate for the Assembly from the City constituency Scrutiny takes place on the 15th October.—A P.

DECLARED ELIGIBLE

Congress Candidates From Patna And Gaya Constituencies

PATNA, Oct. 10.

After scrutiny to-day the following candidates were declared eligible for the Assembly election from Patna-cum-Shahabad constituency:—

Mr. Anugrahanarayan Sing, Congress candidate; Mr. Jagatnarayan Lal Congress Nationalist candidate: Mr. Ramkrishna Dalmia. Independent candidate and Rai Saheb Badridas Rastogi the sitting Independent Member.

From Gaya-cum-Monghyr Constituency:—Sri Krishna Sing, Congress candidate and Kumar Gupteshwar Prasad Singh, the sitting Independent Member.—United Press.

U. P. NOMINATIONS

MUZAFFARPORE, Oct. 10.

The nomination papers of the following Assembly candidates were scrutinized and declared valid to-day.

Muzaffarpore-cum-Champaran Constituency:—Mr. Gaya Prasad Singh (Congress-Nationalist), Mr. Bepin Behary Varma (Congress Parliamentary Board).

Darbhanga- cum- Champaran Constituency:—Mr. Kumar Ganganand Sinha (Independent); Mr. Ramkrishna Jha (Sanatanist); Mr. Satya Narain Sinha (Congress Parliamentary Board).

Tirhut Division, Mohamadan Constituency:— Maulana Shafi Daoodi and Abdul Hamid Khan.—A.P.

ASSAM CANDIDATES

GAUHATI, Oct. 10.

Assembly nomination papers were filed to-day by M. Abdul Matin Chaudhury (sitting member from Assam Mahomedan); Mr. Tarunram Phukun (sitting member) and Mr. Nabin Chandra Bardaloi (Assam Valley non-Mahomedan).—A.P.

BURMA NOMINATIONS

Jehangir Munshi Not Contesting

RANGOON, Oct. 10.

The following is a complete list of nominations to the Assembly elections:—

Non-European, three seats:—Ba Maung (sitting member); Thein Maung, Ba Si, Dr. Thein Maung; Khan Bahadur Ahmed Chandoo, Rao Bahadur M. C. Naidu.

European, one seat:—Richards (sitting member).

Mr. Jehangir Munshi is not standing. He stated in an interview that his last election had the support of the People's Party which having decided to support their own Burman candidates he resolved not to contest, because an election fight between Burmans and Indians would degenerate into a communal fight which should be avoided in the larger interests of Indians in Burma. Furthermore, it would be unseemly for him as the Mayor to be engaged in an election fight against Burman colleagues in the Corporation.—A.P.

SANATANIST FILES NOMINATION

BOMBAY, Oct. 10.

The Secretary, Varnashram Swaraj Sangh, Ahmedabad, wires under date October 10:—

Mr. Chimanlal N. Mehta, ex-President, Nadiad Municipality and President Varnashram Swaraj Sangh, filed his nomination paper for the Legislative Assembly from Bombay Northern Division to-day.—A.P.

ANEY'S UPHILL TASK

Five Candidates Contesting From Berar

NAGPUR, Oct. 10.

A report received here from Amraoti states that five candidates are contesting one Assembly seat from Berar.

Mr. M. S. Aney, General Secretary, Congress Nationalist Party, and Mr. S. G. Jog (sitting member) are among those seeking election, and they filed their nomination papers to-day in Amraoti.—A.P.

ELECTED UNOPPOSED

SIMLA, Oct. 10.

Vijiyanand Gajpatiraj, Maharajkumar of Vizianagram, has been declared elected uncontested to the Assembly from the United Provinces Landholders' constituency.—United Press.

Phagwara.—It is learnt from official circles that the Chief Minister of Kapurthala, Dewan Abdul Hamid will visit Phagwara on October 12, with a view to devise ways and means to improve the prevailing situation in Phagwara.—United Press.

HEAVY INCREASE IN LIVE BIRTHS

Typhoid Claims Eight Victims In City

The health returns of Bombay during the 40th week of 1934 i.e., the week-ended 6th October 1934 were as under:—

The total mortality box was 4 less than the last week. The death rate registered was 25.5 on the Census population of 1931, mortality for the 40th week of 1933 was 512 and death rate 23.9. The average mortality for the corresponding weeks during the preceding quinquennium 1929-1933 was 482 and death rate 20.1. Out of the total deaths run were among infants under one year of age. During the week Smallpox caused I attack and 3 deaths. Cholera and Plague were absent. The number of deaths from Typhoid was 8.

The number of live births registered during the week was 731 which compares favourably with that for the 40th week of 1933, viz., 684, and also with the quinquennial average for the corresponding weeks in the five years (1929-1933) viz., 581.

Shamala Charn Palit, who left Calcutta on August 29 on bicycle for Bombay, to attend the 48th Session of the National Congress arrived in Bombay on Monday. After attending the Congress Session, he will return to Calcutta on bicycle via Agra, Delhi and Benares.

Snobbery Has No Place In National Army

Mr. Purushottam Reminds "Shock-Bridge" Cadets Of Their Extra Responsibilities

(Trough the Publicity Bureau) of Reception Committee)

While declaring the Camp for the Shock Brigade open on Sunday last, at the Jinnah Hall, Syt. Purushotam Tricumdas observed:

EXTRA RESPONSIBILITY

A very heavy and special responsibility devolves on volunteers in general, but on those who offered themselves for service in the Shock Brigade an extra heavy responsibility devolves, because you will have to undertake tasks which others may not be ready or competent or too tired to perform. You will have to offer your services if necessary all the 24 hours without any consideration of food or rest, in case no other volunteers are available I have no doubt that you who have so cheerfully volunteered your services will carry out the onerous duties in an equally cheerful manner.

There is one thing which I would like to mention particularly and that is, that a soldier never worries about praise in case the enterpris, on which he has launced succeeds, and blame in case it fails. The soldier's true joy and reward is in doing his duty faithfully and joyfully

COMRADES ALL

There is also another thing that I want to mention and that is, that although some of you may be officers and others just ordinary sainiks these differences should exist only on the parade ground, and while on duty. The officers must not consider themselves superior to their soldiers. The officer is a person on whom additional responsibility rests. Those, therefore who are officers amongst you, must avoid the snobbery which is common to officers in capitalist armies, because in those armies, the officers are selected out of the ruling class and they try their best to make themselves out as different from and spperior to soldiers. But in the army which is to fight the battle for the freedom of an enslaved nation, no such snobbery should ever be allowed to penetrate Off the parade ground, you will all be brothers, and must forget differences of rank and position. I am glad you have in your G. O. C. and Sjt Mukandarao Balsawar two men who not only will endorse the views which I have just now expressed but will also carry them out in practice and have them carried out by their example.

SERVANTS OF THE PUBLIC

Remember one thing which is that as volunteers you have offered your services to the public and under circumstances, however provoking you must remain ever cheerful and ever polite. You must under all circumstances avoid the example of the soldier and the policeman who clothed in petty authority behaves as if he was a superior being rather than the servant of the public.

In conclusion, I hope that although you have come together for a special purpose, namely to serve the ensuing Congress Session, you will consider yourselves as the soldiers in the cause of the Nation's freedom and will, when the occasion arises, come forward to do your duty as cheerfully as you are doing now.

R. C. Working Committee Meeting

An urgent meeting of the Working Committee of the Congress Reception Committee will be held to-day (Thursday) at 6 p.m. (S.T.) at the Congress House.

A.I.S.A. Agent Thanks Khadi Lovers

The Gandhi Jayanti Celebrations ended on Sunday the 7th of October.

We beg to express our hearty thanks to the editors of all the nationalist papers who gave their kind co-operation during the period. We also express our gratitude to the Khadi lovers, Sevaks and Sevikas, who unmindful of inconvenience tried their utmost to canvass orders for khadi during the Jayanti.

Equal gratitude is due to those generous minded patrons of Khadi who celebrated the Jayanti in the only fitting manner by purchasing Khadi, it being the most potential way of national uplift.

Volunteers' Ward-Rallies

Volunteers of the respective wards mentioned below are required to be present at the time and place respectively for the ward rally.

THURSDAY, (To-day).

'C' Ward at 10 p.m. at Ram Baug.

FRIDAY, the 12th inst.

'D' Ward at 8 p.m. at the Congress House.

'E' Ward at 9-30 p.m. the place to be announced later on.

SATURDAY, the 13th inst.

'F' Ward at 8-30 p.m. at Kamgar Maidan, Parel.

'G' Ward at 9-30 p.m. the place to be announced later on.

R. C Sub-Committees Meeting

A meeting of the Publicity and Propaganda Sub-Committee will be held at the Congress House on Friday the 12th instant at 6-30 p.m.

A meeting of the Requirements Sub-Committee will be held on Thursday the 11th instant at 6-45 p.m. at the Congress House."

POONA PACT NOT TO BE MODIFIED

Bombay Harijans Decide Not To Hold Conference During Congress Session

"So far as modification of the communal decision is concerned, the Harijan part of it cannot be modified, except by the unanimous consent of all the parties concerned and I shall certainly be no party to any modification which worsens the position of Harijans or which has not their consent" says Mahatma Gandhi in the course of a letter to Mr. B. J. Deorukhkar, Nationalist Harijan leader of Bombay in reply to his letter wherein he had raised doubts about the permanency of the Poona Pact on account of the present agitation for its modification by a section of Hindus, particularly of Bengal and the Punjab.

Mr. Deorukhkar had also requested Gandhiji to reconsider his views on the question of putting up Harijan candidates to contest Assembly elections to which Gandhiji has replied. "It is quite clear that it will be detrimental to the Harijan cause to involve Harijans in any shape or form in a fight with Government wherein the Congress is engaged. There are many other and more tangible ways open to Caste Hindus to show their sympathy and more than sympathy to Harijans."

In view of Gandhiji's definite assurance about the Poona Pact local Harijans have decided not to hold their Conference during the Congress Session, but they may hold one in December in consultation with Gandhiji.

Mr. Deorukhkar who had been elected as a delegate to the forthcoming Congress Session will place before the Congress the Harijan view point.—A.P.

WIDESPREAD RAIN IN MYSORE

Western Disturbance Causes Showers In Kashmir

POONA, Oct. 10.

Rainfall has been widespread in Mysore and Malabar and has occurred locally in Southeast Madras and Upper Burma and at a few stations in Lower Burma, East Central Provinces and Bombay Deccan. A western disturbance has caused local showers in Kashmir and a few falls in Northwest Frontier Province and Punjab Hills. Conditions are unsettled in central bay of Bengal where a depression may form.

CHIEF AMOUNTS OF RAINFALL.

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FORECAST.

Rainfall will occur locally in south of Peninsula Kashmir and Lower Burma.—A.P.

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WHOM SHOULD HARIJANS SUPPORT

Madras M. L. C. Gives Non-Committal Reply

MADRAS, Oct. 8.

Should the Harijans support the Congress or the Justice Party in the coming Assembly elections?

This question was answered in an ambiguous fashion by Rao Bahadur R. Srinivasan, M.L.C. Depressed Classes leader, a signatory to the Poona Pact, at a public meeting of Harijans the other day.

The Congress, admitted Mr. Srinivasan, had done a great deal to the cause of the Depressed Classes and Congress nominees for Assembly richly deserved their hearty support.

But, continued the Rao Bahadur, if the Harijans supported the Congress, they would be incurring the displeasure of the Government.

Mr. Srinivasan finally observed that for the present, it would be better if the Depressed Classes voted for the Party in power, i.e. the Justice Party, so that they might get more grants and other benefits in the matter of employment and education of the Depressed Classes.—United Press.

SOCIALIST SECRETARY RESIGNS

AHMEDABAD, Oct. 10.

At a meeting of the Gujarat Congress Socialist Party held last night Rohit Mehta, Secretary, and another member tendered their resignations as a protest against the throwing off by a majority of a resolution condemning the demonstration made by Majdur Union against Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel when he addressed a public meeting here. It is understood that more resignations are expected to follow.

A member who distributed printed leaflets attacking Mr. Gandhi and Sardar Vallabhbhai in that public meeting was dismissed from the Party.—A.P.

MR. V. V. IYENGAR PASSES AWAY

We regret to announce the death of Mr. V. Viraraghava Iyengar, manager of the "Swadesamitran," a leading vernacular paper in Madras, on Sunday last at his residence in Madras at the age of 45. Mr. Iyengar was a nephew of late Mr. S. Kasturiranga Iyengar.

When his cousin brother the late Mr. A. Rangaswami Iyengar took charge of the editorial in "The Hindu" Mr. Viraraghavan joined the business department and ably managed it. With Mr. Rangaswami he migrated to the newly purchased "Swadesamitran" in 1915 to re-organise its business department and remained at the post till Sunday last when he passed away after 24 hours' illness.

He leaves behind him an aged father, a young widow with four boys and two girls and a large circle of friends to bemoan his loss.

BERAR DELEGATES FOR CONGRESS

AMRAOTI, Oct. 9.

The following members from the Berar Provincial Congress Committee are elected as members to the All-India Congress Committee in the meeting of the P.C.C. held here on October, 7.

1 Mr M S Aney, 2 Mr P Y Deshpande, 3 Dr S G Patwardhan, 4 Pandit Kanade Shastri 5 Dr M N Parasnis 6 Mr Brijlal Biyani and 7 Mr K V Sahasrabudhe.

The following office-bearers for the newly elected body of the Berar P.C.C. are elected for the new year-Veer Vaman Rao Joshi-presided Mr. Brijlal Biyani and Dr. N. T. Paturkar-Secretaries, Mr. P. B. Gole and Mr T. S. Bapat-Vice-Presidents, and Mr. Suganchand Tapadia Treasurer.

The following delegates are elected to the Bombay Session of the Congress by the Berar P.C.C.—1 Veer Vaman Rao Joshi 2 Mrs. Parwati Bai Pateardhan 3 Suganchand Tapadia 4 Dhansukh Das Thanvi 5 Mr. L. S. Marathe 6 Ramlalji Agarwal 7 Balkisandas Mantri.—United Press.

CASES AGAINST CHAPRA VILLAGERS

Withdrawn In View Of Their Distress

CHAPRA, Oct. 10.

It is understood in view of the distress of the village people due to floods, the District Magistrate has decided to withdraw all the seven police cases instituted against about 200 villagers as a sequel to cutting the railway embankment near Tena in Chapra-Masharak line.

It may be recalled that during the recent flood the villagers in a body attempted to cut the railway embankment near Tena when the police failing to disperse the crowd resorted to firing, resulting in two being killed and several injured.

Another since died in the hospital. 50 persons were arrested and prosecution was launched against about 200 people.—United Press.

BARRAGE TRAGEDY

Two Bodies Of Official Divers Recovered

(From Our Correspondent.)

KARACHI, Oct. 10.

A sad tragedy involving the lives of two official divers occurred at the Sukkur Barrage while trying to close down one of the huge gates in No. 20 Barrage. It was found that it could not go down owing to some obstruction which one diver was asked to remove. But as he did not appear, another diver was sent after sometime but he also did not come up. Thereupon all gates of the barrage with the exception of gate No. 20, were opened and the corpses of the divers recovered.

SINGAPORE AIR MAIL

KARACHI, Oct. 10.

Airmail from Singapore arrived at Karachi at 8-5 this morning and left for Croydon at 9-15 a.m. —A.P.

ADDRESS TO GOVERNOR

Ahmedabad Councillors' Proposal

(From Our Correspondent.)

AHMEDABAD, October 10.

Sixteen Municipal Councillors, including five who are elected, have sent a proposal to the Municipal President, urging to give an address to the Governor when he comes on tour in December, and sanctioning Rs. 500 from the Municipal Fund.

Owing to some dispute, Sjt. Rohit Mehta has resigned his post as Secretary, and from the Working Committee from the local Congress Socialist Party.

Sjt Jivanlal Champaneria has also resigned from the Working Committee.

EX-M. L. A. SENT TO JAIL

(From Our Correspondent.)

KARACHI, Oct. 10.

Khan Bahadur Waderom Mahamed Pannah Drakhan, ex-Honorary Magistrate and formerly a member of the Indian Legislative Assembly and till lately Chairman of the Sukkur District School Board who was awarded sometime back three years rigorous imprisonment for embezzlement of School Board's funds has been sentenced now again to 18 months rigorous imprisonment and a fine of Rs 1000 in another case of a similar nature.

STUDENTS GO ON STRIKE

QUILON, Oct. 9.

The students of the 6th form 'B' division and 5th form 'B' division of the local English School went on strike yesterday as a protest against the alleged refusal of the Headmaster to appoint a new teacher of English.

The present incumbent, in the opinion of the boys, is incompetent.—United Press.

CONGRESS AT CROSS-ROAD

(Continued from page 6.)

tuated place like Delhi, with a permanent President and Secretariat staff functioning all the year round. The President and his executive councillors should be elected once in five years by an open election and this very procedure be followed in provincial, district and even village Congress organisations. With this sort of permanent establishment and disciplined regular work, Congress will certainly be in a position to attain its goal in the near future.

The time for giving this new orientation to the Congress organisation is overdue, and the country as a whole is waiting for some such lead. Let Bombay, where Congress was given birth to some fifty years back, give it new birth as a permanent national organization of the country.

WORLD TRADE IS BOOMING

New Constitution Will Improve Present Conditions Says Millowner

AHMEDABAD, October 10.

In spite of fluctuations, the prices of cotton and other raw materials were rising.

It might be, therefore, inferred that world wide trade depression was arrested and the cycle of world trade was moving towards a boom period, declared Mr. Devidas Shah, President of the Baroda Millowners Association addressing its annual meeting.

He added that the minds of merchants would be at ease and the wealth of India which was hoarded or invested in Government securities would be diverted to trade and industries, thus making them fruitful when the new constitution was framed and put into force at the end of 1935.

Proceeding he appealed to the Baroda State to postpone the enforcement of nine hours day till after seeing the effect of its operation on wages of workers etc, in British India.—A.P.

JAVA SUGAR FOR INDIA

Government Urged To Increase Duty

SIMLA, Oct. 10.

The "United Press" understands that the Indian Sugar Mills Association have approached the Government of India with a proposal for levy of additional duty on imported Java Sugar in view of the decline in price of sugar from Java.

It has been urged that in accordance with the recommendations of the Tariff Board the duty on imported sugar should be enhanced with a view to maintaining the existing scale of protection as otherwise Java will send larger quantities of sugar to India. It is also stated that Indian production will be fully equal to the consumption in India and by scientific distribution of sugar with the help of the Indian Sugar Marketing Board, the Industry hopes to be able to supply sugar of the required quality in all parts of the country and even in distant Burma.

The industry expects that the Government are committed to a definite policy of protection to the Industry and will consider sympathetically the question of an increased duty, particularly, because it will have no undesirable effect on consumers in the matter of prices owing to the keen internal competition.—United Press.

Support League Conference Candidates

LAHORE, October 8.

The following resolution was also passed at the meeting of the Working Committee of the District Muslim Conference, Lahore:

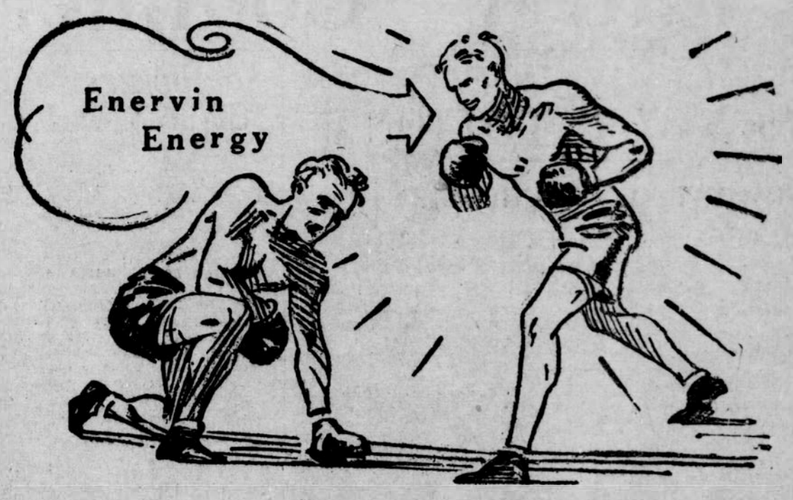
"In view of the fact that a certain article which was published in the Daily "Siyasat", and which hurt the feelings of the Hindu public, the proprietor of the paper Syed Habib has sincerely apologised to the Hindu community for its publication, and favourable comments on his apology have appeared in certain Hindu papers, this meeting of the Working Committee of the District Muslim Conference, Lahore, respectfully requests the Punjab Government to withdraw proceedings against "Siyasat".

After a lengthy discussion the following manifesto was also unanimously passed:—

The forthcoming Legislative Assembly is likely to have some of the best brains amongst the Hindus who are going in to try to deprive the Muslims of their safeguards and legitimate interests, and if by any chance any candidate who does not belong to the creed of the League and the Conference happens to be returned to the Assembly he will surely follow the dictates of his Hindu masters and thus create division in the rank of the Muslims in the house.

Must Work In Team

We earnestly appeal to our brethren to uphold the traditions of Muslim unity and solidarity and support only those candidates who are standing on the League Conference ticket, so that the Muslim members may work in a team to protect Muslim interests in the next Assembly."—A.P.



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RESTRICTION OF JUTE CULTIVATION

Govt. Scheme Discussed With Rural Development Commissioner

CALCUTTA, (By Mail)

At the invitation of the Press Officer, representatives of newspapers in Calcutta attended a conference at Writers Building on October 1, at which Government's scheme for restriction of jute cultivation was discussed with the Press Officer and the Rural Development Commissioner. A brief summary of the heads of discussion is given below.

"At the outset the Rural Development Commissioner opened that it was not necessary to convince any one present of the necessity for a scheme of reduction in the cultivation of jute.

It has been suggested that a cheap and easy method of restricting the crop would be the purchase and destruction of the seed necessary for the crop on the area which it is desired to withdraw from cultivation of jute.

Another scheme which has recently appeared involves the payment of compensation to cultivators restricting their area under jute. The author of the scheme appears to contemplate a reduction of area by 500,000 to 600,000 acres and the payment of compensation at the rate of Rs. 15 per acre thrown out of cultivation of jute.

A third scheme which had recently been put forward at Dacca, suggested a three years' plan for the establishment of a permanent organisation to control production.

PURCHASE OF SURPLUS STOCKS.

Another alternative which has been suggested is the purchase of surplus stocks with which may be associated the suggestion that a minimum price should be guaranteed.

As regards the fixing of a minimum price, the Rural Development Commissioner pointed out that the analogy from sugar-cane does not hold owing to the differences in the conditions under which the jute and sugar industries work.

Briefly, no scheme can be considered for the year 1935 in which it is necessary to lay down a quota for individual cultivators or to dispense rewards and inflict penalties, since the statistics of actual cultivation are not available of such accuracy that any Government would be justified in using them for these purposes.

The conference terminated with a free discussion during the course of which fresh points of view were laid before the Government officers by the representatives of the press present.—United Press.

Sardar Vallabhbhai will visit Maroli in Surat District and open a hospital attached to the Kasturba Vanatshela there on Dussera day the 17th instant, when he will meet peasants and Congress workers of Bardoli and other talukas.

RELY ON SELF-HELP

Governor's Advice To Sardars & Dumaldars

(From Our Correspondent).

POONA, Oct. 9.

Some plain-speaking was indulged in by His Excellency the Governor of Bombay when the Deccan Sardars and Dumaldars Sabha presented him with an address at the Western India Turf Club House.

The address which was read by Sardar Abasaheb Mujumdar, M.L.A., president of the Sabha, stated, 'inter alia', that the Sardars and Dumaldars in Deccan who have been most loyal throughout have recently been neglected by Government and they do not get high posts which they were used to do, some time past.

The address further requested Government to give the Sardars and Dumaldars safeguards in the future constitution, and guarantee for undisturbed possession of jahagirs and watans. It also wanted Government to amend the Land Revenue Code, so as to protect, the Inamdars as a class. Restoration of the previlege of having special seats on local boards was also asked for. The address was presented in a silver gun model.

Replying to the address, His Excellency said that financial stringency of the times was responsible for many defects. Proceeding, he recommended to the Sardars and Dumaldars the best principle of self-help. He told them not to go in for special privileges and safeguards, in these days of democratic ideals but exhorted them to fight in the common hubbub of life and to merge up by their own inherent merits.

Sardar Jagannath Maharaja Pandit, member Council of State, was next at home to H. E. The Governor, Lady Brabourne, and guests.

ASSEMBLY ELECTION

Shreemant Captain Sardar Bhimrao Patankar is contesting the Assembly seat from the non-Mahomedan Central Division Constituency. Sardar Patankar has been put up as a candidate by the non-Brahmin Party in the Presidency.

The Foreign Department Simla, announces that a son was born on September 24 to the King of Afghanistan and has been named Shahzada Ahmad Shah Khan.—A.P.

Colaba Observatory Bombay

Summary of Meteorological Observations during 24 hours ending 8 a.m. of 10-10-34.

Change of 8 a.m. barometer in past 24 hours —.033 inches.

Temperature (dry bulb) at 8 a.m. 80.2 degrees.

Temperature (wet bulb) at 8 a.m. 76.5 degrees.

Maximum temperature during 24 hours 86.2 degrees 1.9 (below normal).

Minimum temperature during 24 hours 77.1 degrees 1.2 (above normal)

Relative Humidity at 8 a.m. 84 p.c.

Direction of wind at 8 a.m. NNE

Velocity of wind at 8 a.m. 6 miles per hour.

Total movement of wind in 24 hours 191 miles.

Velocity of maximum gust of wind during 24 hours 24 miles per hour.

Extent of cloud at 8 a.m. (the whole sky cloudy eq. 10) 2

Rainfall in 24 hours 000 inches.

Total rainfall during the month 000 inches.

Total rainfall during the year 69.81 inches.

Weather remarks variable sky.

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Wheat Steady But Rubber And Jute Weak

BOMBAY, Oct. 10.

On Wednesday, there was a downward trend in cross rates once again.

FIRM CLOSING TONE IN NEW YORK COTTON

The New York cotton market opened easy on account of the lack of confidence. Spot situation and textile trade showed a tendency to slacken. There was some support at the lower level. The closing tone was firm.

GOLD EASY BUT SILVER FIRM

London gold was slightly easy but silver continued firm.

WHEAT STEADY AND LINSEED CLOSED

Wheat ruled steady in Liverpool in Chicago. The Argentine linseed market was closed on account of a holiday.

TIN QUIET BUT JUTE EASY

Tin was quiet. Jute and rubber ruled easy.

SECURITIES BETTER BUT BUSINESS SMALL

The London Stock Exchange displayed a lack of sympathy with very small business passing. Giltedged securities showed a somewhat better tendency but business did not improve.

COTTON

LATEST NEW YORK COTTON PRICES

(December 1934)

	New York, Oct 10
Previous closing	12.02
To-day's opening	11.96
Difference	—.06
To-day's closing	12.19
Difference	+.17

BROACH EXPECTATION

April-May ..... Rs 206

LIVERPOOL COTTON

(January 1934)

	Liverpool, Oct. 10.
Previous closing	6.52
To-day's opening	6.46
Difference	—.06
To-day's closing	6.45
Difference	—.07

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

New York, Oct. 10.

The report that the Agricultural Administration is considering plans to increase the next year's crop from 12,000,000 to 13,000,000 bales resulted in a general lack of confidence and extremely disappointing trading but the hope is expressed that this will not have any disastrous effect on present loan holdings.

Spot situation and textile however showed a tendency to slacken while European political situation was not without its depressing influence on speculative enterprise.

Trading in December opened at 11.96 i.e. 6 points lower than the previous closing. Prices early eased under liquidation and southern selling influenced by lower Liverpool advices and the general lack of buying power but the lower level attracted some speculative buying and trade demand which restored December to 11.99 when movements became rather small in the absence of fresh enquiry.

The New York cotton market finally closed at 12.19 with a rise of 17 points.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, Oct. 10.

The following were the opening ranges.

December (12.03/12.02) 11.97/11.96
January (12.06/12.06) 12.00/11.98
March (12.15/12.13) 12.08/12.07

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, Oct 10

The following were the rates at 12-15 p.m.

American January (6.53) 6.43
American March (6.50) 6.41
Egyptian January (7.79) 7.68
Egyptian March (7.85) 7.74

BROACH COTTON

Bombay, Oct. 10
10-30 p.m.

Business in Broach A-M was done at Rs. 203-8 at night. New York cotton futures were about 6 points down.

PRODUCE RECEIPTS.

Bombay, Oct. 10.

	bales.
Central India	255
Berar	167
Western-Northern's	78
Tinnevelly and Cambodia	351
Persians	191
Total Cotton	1,042
	cwts.
Wheat	2,418
Linseed	149
Rape, Rai & Mustardseeds	814
Gingellyseed	1,298
Poppyseed	207
Groundnuts	3,635
Castorseed	6
Rice	1,953
Myrabollams	1,180
Cottonseed	4,633

EXCHANGES

LONDON-NEW YORK CROSS RATE

Latest Quotations

T. T. NEW YORK ON LONDON.

New York, Oct. 10

Previous closing	4.92 5/8
To-day's opening	4.90 1/2
To-day's closing	4.89 7/8

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK.

London, Oct. 10.

Previous closing	4.92 5/8
To-day's opening	4.91 3/4
To-day's closing	4.90 3/8
Difference	—.02 1/4

FRANC RATE

London, Oct. 10.

Previous closing	74.50
To-day's opening	74.31
To-day's closing	74.03
Difference	—.47

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, Oct 10

London exchanges opened with sterling dollar at 4.91-3/4 and eased to 4.91-1/8 and on the lack of support still further receded to 4.90-9/16.

The sterling dollar cross rate closed at 4.90 3/8.

The franc opened at 74.31 but soon depreciated to 74.15 afterwards further easing to 74.03.

The sterling franc cross rate closed at 74.03.

LONDON SILVER

London, Oct 10

The market was steady.

	Last price.	To-day's price
Spot	23 1/4d.	23 3/8d.
Forward	23 3/8d.	23 7/16d.

LONDON GOLD

London, Oct 10

Gold (£7-2-9) £7-2-6

BULLION

London, Oct 10

Influx nil.
Withdrawal (nil) nil
Silver Spot (23 1/4d.) 23 3/8d.
Gold per ounce (£7-2-9) £7-2-6

DISCOUNTS

London, Oct 10

3 months (13/16 to 7/8 p.c.) 13/16 to 7/8 p.c.
4 months (7/8 to 15/16 p.c.) 7/8 to 15/16 p.c.
6 months (15/16 to 1 p.c.) 15/16 to 1 p.c.

CROSS RATES

London, Oct 10
3-30 p.m.

London on Bombay (1-6 1/16) 1-6 1/16
Paris on Bombay (5.56) 5.57
New York on Bombay (37-12) 37-00
Berlin on Bombay (0.91 7/8) 0.91 7/8
London on Milan (50.84) 56.96
London on Shanghai (1-5 5/8) 1-6
London on Kobe (1-2 1/16) 1-2 1/16

BOMBAY BULLION

Bombay, Oct. 10.

Silver opened at Rs. 63/7, 63/9 and 63/12. Prices early eased on some reactionary selling and profit-taking but eventually the market recovered and improved on good speculative buying as a result of better London advices and closed at Rs. 63/13, 63/15 and 64/1.

Gold opened steady at Rs. 35/5, 35/6 and 35/7/6. The sentiment improved on weaker sterling and there was some banks and local dealers buying influenced by better cables from abroad. Prices closed steady at Rs. 35/6, 35/7/6 and 35/9.

Mowraseed	300
Gram	1,477
Joowar	1,012
Maize	96
Barley	190
Bajree	776
Coal	337 tons.

COMMODITIES

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, Oct 10.

Liverpool wheat opened steady at 63-1/2, 66-3/4 and 68-3/8. Prices improved slightly on better speculative demand but business on the whole continued disappointing.

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, Oct 10

Chicago wheat opened very steady with December at 97-1/8, May 97-1/2 and July 92-1/8. The market was moderately active on some commission houses buying and foreign demand influenced by unfavourable weather reports and better technical position.

ARGENTINE LINSEED

Buenos Aires, Oct 10

The Linseed market was closed today on account of a holiday.

LONDON MARKETS

London, Oct 10

The following were the rates at 3-30 p.m. to-day.

METALS.

Tin (£230 3/4 buyers £230 7/8 sellers) £230 1/4 buyers £230 1/2 sellers. Quiet.
Lead (£10 3/16 buyers £10 1/4 sellers) £10 3/16 buyers £10 1/4 sellers. Steady
Electrolytic Copper (£28 1/2 to £29 1/2) £28 1/4 to £29 1/4
Glasgow Iron (£70) £70

TEA.

Indian Pekoe (0-10 1/4) 0-10 1/4
Indian Pekoe higher (2-4 1/2) 2-4 1/2
Ceylon Pekoe (0-11) 0-11
Ceylon Pekoe higher (2-4) 2-2 1/2

JUTE

Crop Oct-Nov new crop (£14 7/8 sellers) £14 7/8 sellers
Dunlop Sept-Oct (£17 1/4 sellers) unquoted.
Lightening (£16 sellers) unquoted

RUBBER

Spot (£6 15/16) 6 3/4 paid and buyers
Jan-March (7) 6 15/16 value

LINSEED

Linseed Bombay Oct-Nov (£11 9/16) sellers) £11 9/16 sellers
Linseed Calcutta Oct-Nov (£11 3/8 sellers) £11 3/8 sellers
Linseed La Plata Oct-Nov (£10 3/16 sellers) £10 3/16 sellers
Groundnuts Coromandal Nov. (£11 5/8 sellers) £11 5/8 sellers

WHEAT AND LINSEED

Closing Quotations

Bombay, Oct 10
10-30 p.m.

	Rs. a. p.
Wheat January	4 0 0
Wheat May	4 3 9
Linseed May	6 6 3

The tone was steady

JUTE SHARES VERY STEADY

Coals Unchanged And Teas Steady

CALCUTTA, Oct 10

In share market Jutes section ruled very steady to-day with only limited business passing. Coals continued very steady at unchanged prices. Cottons continued to advance and closed very steady. Teas continued steady with fair amount of business passing. In miscellaneous section there was a good deal of activity. Sugars continued firm with good demand at somewhat better prices. Others were also very steady and active. Government securities were kept steady. Following were the closing quotations:—

Government securities: 3 1/2 per cent paper 91/10/6; 3 1/2 per cent loan 1947/50 101/9; 4 per cent loan 1960/70 107/9; 5 per cent loan 1940/43 109/5; 5 per cent loan 1945/55 117/9 small lot; 4 per cent Punjab Bonds 1948 104/11; 6 1/2 per cent Treasury Bonds 1935 103/12 small lot.

Cottons: Bengal Nagpore ordy 21; Benares Cotton and Silk 1/12; Dunbar ordy 144 small lot; Dunbar pref 196; Elgin Mills ordy 108; Kesoram ordy 4/9; Mohini Mills 10/8 ex div; New Victoria ordy 1/12.

Coals: Amalgamated 21/10; Bengal 263 small lot; Burrakur 14/10; Equitable 27 small lot; Beerbhoom 14/4; New Manbhoom 47; Pench Valley 40/8.

Jutes: Anglo India 402; Barnagore 155 small lot; Birla ordy 13/6; Cheviot 210; Clive ordy 32/4 small lot; Delta 362 small lot; Fort William 284/8; Gourepore 373; Howrah 54/4; India 336; Kamarhatty 532; Khardah pref 130; Kinnison 635; Kinnison pref 145; National 24/4; Nuddea 45/5 small lot; Reliance 76.

Miscellaneous: B I Corporation ordy 2/6; B I Corporation defd 1/6; Calcutta Trams ordy 19/10; British Burma Petroleum 6/5; Indo Burma Petroleum pref 114/8; Bengal Paper ordy 101/8; Titaghur Paper ordy 20/10; Titaghur Paper defd 9/2; Midnapore Zemindary 69 small lot; Bengal Telephone pref 15/4; Bengal Telephone old 18; Muttra Electric 9/10; Upper Jumna Valley Electric 11/4; U P Electric 159; Bengal Iron 4/1; Bengal Iron pref 7/5; Burma and Co ordy 265/8 small lot; Burma and Co 7 per cent pref 132/8; Indian Iron and Steel 7/5; Kumardhubi Eng ordy 3/10; Concord of India Insurance 8 premium; Indian General Navigation ordy 102 small lot.

Rubber shares: Allenby 2 point 00 cts cum div; Amalgamated Malay 3 point 65 cts; Changkat Serdang 6 point 25 cts; Pajam 2 point 30 cts; Tapah 2 point 30 cts.

Sugars: Balrampur 20/6; Carew and Co 21/12; Cawnpore ordy 37/14 small lot; Cawnpore pref 157; Champaran 24/14; Murree Brewery 201/8; New Savan 14/15; Purtabpore ordy 16/8; Purtabpore pref 17/4; Punjab Sugar Mills Col ordy 324; Ryam 38/12; Samastipore 13/2; South Behar 12/12

Tea: Eastern Cochar 12/12 small lots; Ellenbarrie 296/8; Hansqua 11/4; Manabarrie 225; Rydak 54/8; Sarugaon 12/10; Tezpore pref 12/6.

Banks: Imperial Bank fully paid 1545 small lot; Imperial Conty 389.

Calcutta Exchange Association will remain entirely closed from 13th to 23rd October 1934 (both days inclusive) on account of Durga and Laxmi puja holidays.—A. P.

IMPROVED TONE AFTER EARLY DULLNESS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

POSSIBILITY OF INCREASED EXPORT DUTY ON DUTCH INDIES RUBBER

Irregular Opening In Wall Street

(SPECIAL CABLE)

LONDON, Oct. 10.

Tragic events at Marseilles acted as a restraining influence on markets which however were not unduly perturbed and in the absence of selling pressure, early dullness was followed by an improved tone all round.

In Commodities, cotton dropped on London, Continental and Bombay liquidation but made a small recovery later owing to better New York advices. Rubber after easiness improved owing to the possibility of increased export duty on Dutch Indies native rubber.

Wall Street opened irregular, Europe an events being a restraining influence.

INDIAN STERLING LOAN

London, Oct. 10.

The 3 1/2 p.c. Indian sterling loan closed at £96

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, Oct 10
3-30 p.m.

Market generally were very quiet. The demand slackened in giltedged securities after initial firmness. Mining shares were easier. Industrials in general were featureless.

BRITISH FUNDS

3 1/2 per cent Consuls (£81 5/8) £81 3/4
3 1/2 per cent Government Loan (£104 3/4) £104 3/4
4 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£111 7/8) £112
4 per cent Funding Loan (£114 7/8) £114 7/8
6 1/2 per cent War Loan (£105 1/2) £105 1/2
4 per cent Victory Bonds (£112 5/8) £112 5/8

INDUSTRIALS

Brazilian Traction (dol 12 1/8) dol 11 3/4
International Holding (dol 1 1/2) dol 1 1/2
Hydro Electric (dol 5 1/8) dol 5 1/8
Musical Industries (31-7 1/2) 30-10 1/2
Princhin Johnson (43-9) 43-9
Imperial Chemical Defd (36-4 1/2) 36-4 1/2
Imperial Chemical Ord (9-1 1/2) 9-1 1/2
Woolsworth New Ord (111-6) 110-6
Swadeshi Match (6-10 1/2) 6-10 1/2
Dunlop Rubber (48-4 1/2) 47-0
University Ordinary (23-0) 22-6
Ford Motors (41-7 1/2) 41-3
Cables and Wireless (7 7/8) 7 7/8
British American Tobacco (123-9) 123-9
Camera 'A' (£7 5/8) £7 5/8
Imperial Tobacco Ord (133-0) 132-6
P and O S N Co Defd (18-0) 18-0
Distillers (90-0) 91-6
Bredrurd Dyers (11-0) 10-9
British Celonese (10-9) 10-4 1/2
J and P Coates Ordinary (65-0) 65-0
Courtaulds Ordinary (46-4 1/2) 46-4 1/2
Fine Cotton Spinners (9-0) 8-9
Wickers Ltd Ordinary (9-6) 9-6
Inter Nickels (24 7/8) 24 5/8
Bengal Iron and Steel (5-4 1/2) 5-4 1/2
Tata Iron and Steel (£110) £110

HOME RAIL SHARES

Great Western Ord (£54) £53 1/2
L M S Ford (£22 3/4) £22
L N E R Defd (£8 3/8) £8 1/8
Southern Defds (£23 1/4) £22 3/8
Landing Pass 5 per stock (£131 3/4) £131 3/4
London 'G' Stock (£86) £86

MINE SHARES

Crown Mines (258-9) 258-9
Godul (185-0) 182-6
Moddar New (75-0) 75-0
Sub Nigel (221-3) 220-0
Spring Mines (153-9) 152-0
Union Corporation (145-0) 143-9

SEEDS TRADERS' ASSOCIATION

Bombay, Oct 10

Castorseeds May delivery: Opening Rs. 28/7; Closing Rs. 29/4
Cottonseeds January delivery: Opening Rs. 18; Closing Rs. 18/4
Groundnut seeds February delivery: Opening Rs. 32/10; Highest Rs. 33/10/6; Lowest Rs. 32/8/6; Closing Rs. 33/9/6.

INDIAN LOANS

London, Oct 10
3-30 p.m.

3 per cent Indian Stock (£83 3/4) £84
3 1/2 per cent Indian Stock (£95 3/4) £96
4 1/2 per cent Indian Stock 1958-56 (£113) £113
4 1/2 per cent Indian Stock 1958-68 (£115 3/4) £115 3/4
4 1/2 per cent New Indian 1948-55 (£107 3/4) £107 3/4
3 1/2 per cent New Indian (1954-59) (£102) £102
3 per cent Indian 1948-47 (£115 1/4) £115 1/4

AUSTRALIAN LOANS.

5 per cent Australian Loan (£111 7/8) £112

TEA SHARES.

Assam Company (24-4 1/2) 24-4 1/2
Empire of India and Ceylon (39-0) 39-0
Donaro Tea (57-0) 57-0

JUTES SHARES.

Barnagore (11 1/2) 11 1/2

RUBBER SHARES.

Anglo Dutch Rubber (25-6) (25-0
Gula Kelampong (21-4 1/2) 21-4 1/2
Rubber Plant Inv Trust (32-6) 32-0

MINING SHARES.

Nandydrug (56-6) 56-6
Burma Corporation (12-0) 12-0
Rio Tintos (13-1/2) 13 3/4
East Rand Proprietary (54-9) 54-3
Rand Mine (141-3) 141-3

OIL SHARES.

Venezuela (42-9) 42-1 1/2
Anglo Persian (45-7 1/2) 45-0
Burma Oil (82-6) 78-4 1/2
Mexican Eagle (7-0) 7-0
Shell Transport (47-6) 47-6
Royal Dutch (£20 3/8) £20 3/8

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

New York, Oct 10

The following were the opening rates on the New York Stock Exchange.

General Motors (dol 29 3/4) dol 28 3/4
Anaconda Copper Mining (dol 11) dol 10 5/8
U S Steel Common (dol 33 1/8) dol 32 3/8
U S Steel Preference (dol 72) unquoted.

SHIPPING NEWS

ARRIVALS.

Bombay, Oct. 10.

Haresfield, Mckenzie, Bassein.
Elysia, Henderson, Liverpool.
Himalaya, Sulanti, Trieste.

Bombay, Oct. 10.

Cape of Goodhope, Jackson, Karachi.
Steel Age, Pickering, Calcutta.
Graciosa, Marshal, Bangkok.

Bombay, Oct. 11.

Himalaya, Sulanti, Java.

LOADING.

Bombay, Oct. 10.

Steamer Narkunda for Sydney.
Nagina for Rangoon.

S S Haresfield:—The B I S N Coy's steamer Haresfield arrived in harbour on Wednesday from Bassein with a general cargo.

S S Elysia:—The Graham T Coy's steamer Elysia arrived in harbour on Wednesday from Liverpool with a general cargo, 104 saloon and 42 deck passengers.

S S Himalaya:—The Lloyd T Coy's steamer Himalaya arrived in harbour on Wednesday from Trieste with a general cargo and one deck passenger.

S S Steel Age:—The M M Coy's steamer Steel Age sailed yesterday for Calcutta with same bottom cargo.

S S Cape of Goodhope:—The T M Coy's steamer Cape of Goodhope sailed yesterday for Karachi with same bottom cargo.

S S Graciosa:—The F F Campbell Coy's steamer Graciosa sailed yesterday for Bangkok with a general cargo.

S S Himalaya:—The Lloyd Triestino Coy's steamer Himalaya will sail to-day for Java with a general cargo and same bottom cargo.

CAWNPORE SUGAR MARKET

Cawnpore, Oct. 8.

Ryam 9/3/6
Marhowrah 9
Pachrukhi 8/11/6
Pertabpur 8/12
New Savan 8/11
Sariyan 9/1
Sasamosa 8/11
Ghughly 8/11
Waltergunj 8/10
Munderwa 7 8/14
Munderwa 5 8/13
Basti 9
Ram Khetan 8/10/6
Luxmigunj 8/10
Padrauna 8/8/6
Siswa Bazar 8/9
Pursa 8/9
Majholia 8/10
Bhatni 8/11
Savan (Indian) 8/7/6
Bhavnan 9/2
Khadda 8/7/6
Sakhri 9/1/6
Khatkuiyan 8/9
Captaingunj 8/9
Hathua 8/10/6
Baitalpur 8/11
Jhusi 9/2/6
Chitauni 8/8
Tomkohi AA 8/7
Tomkohi AAA 8/8
Tomkohi AAAA 8/9
Rhotas R S 9/2
Simbhaoli 9/9
Rampur 9/12
Rampur B 9/6
Pilibhit A 9/2
Bareilly 9/7
Gola 9/8
Hargaon 8/15
Baheri 9/8

GUR PRODUCE

Cawnpore 9/0/6
Gootiya 9/0/6
Unao 8/15/6
Juggilal 8/15/6
Naini 9/5/6
Jhusi 9/1/6

KERALA HARIJAN SEVAK SANGH

Tour In South Travancore For Funds

KOTTAYAM (By Mail)

Mr G. Ramchandran, the provincial secretary of the Kerala Harijan Sevak Sangh, has issued the following report of the Harijan Sevak Sangh Tour in South Travancore:—

In accordance with the programme, which we published in the papers Mr Chengana-cherry Parameswaran Pillai, President, Kerala Harijan Sevak Sangh and myself toured South Travancore. We held big meetings at most of these places and made collections for the Harijan Sevak Sangh fund. Friends of the movement gave us enthusiastic welcome at every place.

The meetings were largely attended and demonstrated the great sympathy of the majority of the Savarnas for Harijan uplift and temple entry.

It was easy to discover among the Harijans everywhere profound dissatisfaction that the Travancore Government have as yet taken no action whatever to implement even the inadequate and mild suggestions of the Travancore Temple Entry Enquiry Committee report. In spite of severe economic expression we have been able to collect within a week Rs. 620 from South Travancore.

Our special thanks are due to the many kind men and women who realising the importance of our work and gave us this amount readily and willingly.—United Press,

ADDRESS TO BHUTTO

But No Money From Municipal Funds

(From Our Correspondent)
THANA, Oct. 10.

A resolution to present an address of welcome to Sir Shah Nawaz Bhutto, the Minister for Local Self-Government, on the occasion of his visit to Thana in November next was carried by a majority of municipal councillors present at this evening's meeting of the general board. The municipality, however, decided to meet the expenses incidental to the address from private contributions on the motion of Mr. Cassumally Fatehally Thanawala.

Pahagwara.—The Chief Minister of Kapurthala has summoned the Hindus, Mahomedans and the Zaildar Party to interview him at Kapurthala. But Pandit Daulat Ramji, the local Hindu leader, has declined to interview him.—United Press.

Our Rajkot Letter

"Khoja-Jagrati's" Defence Of Liberty Of Press

(From A Correspondent).
RAJKOT, Oct. 6.

A miscellaneous petition by some of the Khojas of Rajkot and outside, presented to H. H. the Thakore Saheb of Rajkot to stop and prevent the publication of a weekly newspaper "Khoja Jagrati" edited by Ismail Kanji Hirani on the allegations that the paper is being conducted for the sole purposes of insulting H. H. Aga Khan and outraging the religion and religious feelings of Khoja community, being forwarded to Mr. A. G. Desai Judicial Secretary and Mr. Talakshi M. Doshi Mill Manager for report, an interesting hearing was resumed before them.

The important question in the whole hearing is the rights and liberties of the paper and the press.

Mr. Chinoy resuming said:

OBJECT OF LAW-MAKING.

Before liberty of press, meeting etc. can be taken away, a citizen should be made to know what he is expected to do, before he does anything in these respects. That is the object in law-making. Through law, regulations, citizens are told how they are to regulate their conduct. That is how citizens are made to see how they should behave if they want to live under the protection of the State i.e. like the Penal Code, Law of Markets etc. All this information is given to the citizens and notices given to them as to how they should behave and then too punishment is meted out in regular course of justice, procedure regularly followed, all chances of appeal and revision given. Then ony there be a government by law or semblance.

LIBERTY OF THE PRESS.

Liberty of the Press is the greatest liberty of people in civilized countries. There is a Rule in American Constitution that liberty of the Press cannot be suppressed without the sanction of three-fourth of peoples' delegates. My learned friend points to the medieval autocracy to us, but to retreat so far back, will not be advisable in 1934. He is citing something from the Agency, but there too not a single instance of suppressing the press in this way will be found. Even after a period of fortnight, he has not been able to cite a single instance of British India of suppression of a paper in the way in which applicants desire H. H. to do.

AGA KHAN NOT A RULING PRINCE.

H. H. the Aga Khan is called a Ruling Chief. I fail to understand how he happens to be a Ruling Chief without any territory or persons to rule. A Ruling Prince is one who has to rule, who has to power to enact laws, to maintain Courts of justice, jails etc. Aga Khan is simply a temporal head. His status and position is in no way better than any of the citizens of His Highness. For any of his acts he can be hauled up before the courts of justice in Rajkot like any citizen. In spite of this, if he wants to assert his right and title as a ruling prince, I challenge the applicants and through them H. H. the Aga Khan to appear in the witness-box and stand my cross-examination. The title of H. H. is simply conferred by the British Government, but that does not bring him in the category of a Ruling Prince as defined by and known to law. I have to bring all these references with regard to Aga Khan as his name is brought in by the applicants. Learned Counsel could have spared H. H. Aga Khan from my words, if he had not dragged in his name.

The submission is that the client with the best motives to find out what is real truth in the religion and with the intention of serving his community in the best possible manner he can, is conducting this paper "Khoja Jagrati." No community or member of any religion can be refused to have enlightenment. It is the duty of a man who thinks he has a mission in life to spread light in his own humblest way. What the legislature intends to prevent is malicious propaganda and not honest endeavours to reform the articles of my client far from being malicious are full of his passion and love for the welfare and uplift of his community."

Cholera Epidemic In Thana

(From Our Correspondent).
THANA, Oct. 10.

According to the latest reports received at the Thana municipal office, 23 persons died of cholera from the total number of 41 attacks in the town during the last four days.

Prince George fulfilled the first public engagement, since his engagement and since he was created Duke of Kent, when he opened the handsome new building erected by the London Chamber of Commerce as headquarters.

Foreign Selling In New York Cotton

Washington Contemplates Abandonment Of Crop Restriction

POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT IN FRANCE CREATES NERVOUSNESS

POOR DEMAND FOR CONSUMPTION

Bombay, Oct. 10.

Rumours of Agricultural Administration considering 1935 American cotton crop from 120 to 130 lakhs bales, unnerved bull operators in New York cotton market on Tuesday.

Unfavourrable political developments in France increased nervousness and under heavy foreign long liquidation prices recorded a sharp decline. There was utter absence of any buying mill demand was slow owing to poor demand for cloth.

The market opened weak on lower Liverpool cables and declined further on foreign selling and weakness of Wall-Street. Rapid fluctuations in Dollar-Sterling Exchange also discouraged buyers.

NEW YORK MARKET.

At the opening December delivery was quoted 11 points down at 12.03 but prices improved 7 points from the opening level and December option reached the highest level 12.10 during the early part of the day. In the afternoon there was heavy selling which again depressed prices and December delivery declined 3 points below 12 cent level. Towards the close there was scattered buying which improved prices 6 points from the lowest level and the market closed at a net declined of 11 to 14 points. Spot cotton prices declined 10 points at 12.25c.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

The New Orleans cotton futures market was easy and closed at a decline of 8 points. Spot cotton prices lost 11 points at 12.37c. per lb.

GOVERNMENT COMMENT ON BUREAU.

The United States Cotton crop is forecast at 9,443,000 bales by The United States Department of Agriculture based upon conditions as of October 1. This is 5,223,000 bales below the average of 1928/32.

Increases since September were mainly in Arkansas, Louisiana and Mississippi and to a slight extent in Alabama and Georgia, but these were partly ofiset by further declines in Texas and Oklahoma with moderate losses in North and South Carolinas and Virginia.

September was more favourable than usual. The harvest is progressing rapidly except in Verginia and North Carolina, where rain interfered and there was some rotting of bolls.

On Tuesday the Liverpool cotton futures market opened at a decline of 8 points in sympathy with overnight decline in New York cotton futures. There was general selling as a result of failure of the market to hold the improvement gained after the Bureau report. There was some hedge selling which was absorbed by trade and shorts were securing profits. In the afternoon the market ruled easy on increased hedge selling which was absorbed by straddle buying. Prices fluctuated within the range of 6 points January highest 6.56 and lowest 6.50. The market closed at a net decline of 12 to 11 points. Middling American spot cotton prices declined are point at 6.83d. per lb.

INDIAN COTTON.

East Indian cotton futures market was quiet in sympathy with weakness of American cotton and closed on a decline of 10 points. At the close October was 4.81, January 4.80 and March 4.77.

EGYPTIAN COTTON.

Egyptian cotton futures market was easy in the absence of any buying. Sakels futures closed at a decline of 12 to 16 points and spot cotton prices advanced one point at 7.98d. Upper futures were also quiet and closed at a decline of 8 points but spot Upper cotton prices advanced 2 points at 6.88d. per lb

The Alexandria market was closed.

UNSETTLED SITUATION.

Messrs. M. & B Stern state:—Further far-Eastern liquidation and the report that the Agricultural administration are comtemplating modifyinv cro-restrictions nert year had a depressing effect on the market. With the very unsettled European situation and no indication as yet of any trade improvement there does not appear much likelihood of an advance in the immediate future.

CROP RESTRICTIONS.

Messrs. Langley & Co state:—Far Eastern liquidation (Which is believed to be due to tendency in America to abandon expectations of inflation) had a depressing influence on the Cotton market and with reports that Government is discussing the possibility of removing restrictions on next year's Crop, the market lost 60 cents per bale

PRIVATE CABLES

N. Y. December Highest (11-31 a.m.)	12.10.—04
N. Y. December Lowest (2-14 p.m.)	11.97.—17
Liverpool January Highest (10 a.m.)	6.56—.08
Liverpool January Lowest (2-45 p.m.)	6.50—14

Messrs. Chunilal Mehta and Co., have received to-day the following cable information from their Foreign Friends:—

Liverpool.—Think hedging and poor trade demand will put prices lower.

Liverpool.—Sentiment unsettled by growing belief Washington contemplating abandonment crop restriction and price raising policy next year.

Liverpool.—Poor demand for consumption depresses the market. Speculators seem inclined to realize.

New York.—Liquidation attributed to foreign political developments.

New York.—Nervousness of 'longs' was caused by rumour acreage control not likely next season, wide fluctuations in rate o. exchange and foreign political complications. Much of recent buying has been from the trade. Suggest purchases of averaging down if market declines.

New York.—Market affected unfavourably by the Agricultural Administration considering 1935 crop from 1,20,00,0000 to 1,30,00,000 bales and French political situation. Selling well absorbed.

Messrs. Patel Brothers have received the following cables:—

Their Liverpool Agents cabled as under:—

Hedges, liquidation; trade only support; confidence lacking.

Their New York friends cabled as follows:—

Stale long liquidation; present prices attracting domestic demand, but majority crop going 12 cents loan; political news received late session not major influence.

Messrs. Sarupchand Prithiraj have received the following cables:—

Liverpool.—No indication trade improvement: recommend sales at about present prices.

Memphistenn.—Slightly cooler; heavy rains Central Belt. The daily Official Government Forecast (U.S.A.) says entire Belt partly cloudy. Expect some advance, would buy on a moderate break.

NEW YORK COTTON.
New York, October 9.

December 1934	12.02—12
January 1935	12.06—11
March 1935	12.14—11
May 1935	12.23—12
July 1935	12.25—11
Middling Spot	12.25—10

NEW YORK COTTON DAILY STATISTICS.
New York, October 9.

	Bales.
Days' Receipts at all U. S. Ports	37,000
Days' Exports to Great Britain	2,000
Days' Exports to the Continent	16,000

NEW YORK.
New York, October 9.

New York 11-55 a.m.—	
December 1934	12.07
January 1935	12.10
March 1935	12.20
New York Noon Call—	
December 1934	12.08
January 1935	12.10
March 1935	—

EGYPTIAN COTTON.
Liverpool, October 9.

SAKELLARIDIS:—	
October 1934	7.68
November 1934	7.70
December 1934	7.73
January 1935	7.76
March 1935	7.82
May 1935	7.87
July 1935	7.91
F. G. F. Spot	7.98

LIVERPOOL COTTON.
Liverpool, October 9.

	10-12 a.m. Quotations.	To-day's Price.
October 1934		6.58—11
November 1934		6.55—11
December 1934		6.54—12
January 1935	6.54	6.52—12
February 1935		6.51—11
March 1935	6.52	6.50—11
April 1935		6.48—11
May 1935		6.47—11
June 1935		6.46—11
July 1935		6.45—11
August 1935		6.42—10
September 1935		6.39—10
Middling Spot		6.83—01

MONEY MARKET

Exchange Quotations

Bombay, Oct. 10.

B. C. Rate—
T T D D 1/6

LONDON—
Banks selling T T D D 1/6 1/32 Oct-Jan.
Banks selling T T 1/6 Feb-June.
Banks buying T T 1/6 1/16 Oct-Dec
Banks buying D D 1/6 3/32 Oct-Dec
Banks buying 3 mos 1/6 5/32 Oct-Dec.
Banks buying 3 mos 1/6 1/8 Jan-Mar.

NEW YORK B. C. RATE—
T T 273 1/4
Banks selling T T 271 1/4
Banks buying T T 269

PARIS.—
Banks selling D D 557
Banks buying D D 567

AMSTERDAM.—
Banks selling D D 53 7/8

JAVA—
Banks buying D D 53 5/8

JAPAN—
Banks selling T T 78
Banks buying T T 77 3/4 nominal

HONGKONG.—
Banks selling D D 112 1/2

SHANGHAI—
Banks selling 102 1/2

SINGAPORE—
Banks selling D D 157

BERLIN—
Banks selling D D 89 3/4

CROSS RATE—
New York/London 4.92 1/2 9th inst.
Shanghai/London closed 10th inst.
Japan/London 1/2 1/16 10th inst.
Java/London 7.16 Nom. 9th inst.
London/Paris 74.50 9th inst.
London Belgium 21.01 1/2 9th inst.
London/Switzerland 15.04 9th inst.
London/Italy 57.31 9th inst.
London/Berlin 12.18 9th inst.
London/Stockhalm 19.39 9th inst.
London/New York 4.92 5/8 9th inst.
London/Amsterdam 7.23 Nom. 9th inst.

Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Quiet.
Gold £7-2-6 8th inst. £7-2-9 9th inst.
Silver London Ready 22 7/8 8th inst. 23 1/4 9th inst
Silver London Forward 23 8th inst. 23 3/8 9th inst.
Silver New York Ready 50 3/8 8th inst. 50 3/4 9th inst.
London Discounts 3 mos 7/8 per cent 8th inst. 7/8 per cent 9th inst.
London Discounts 6 mos 13/16 per cent 8th inst. 13/16 per cent 9th inst.
Imperial Bank Rate 8 1/2 per cent.
Bank of England Rate 2 per cent.
Money:—Call 1 per cent.
3 mos 1 1/4 per cent.
6 mos 1 1/2 per cent.
Tone:—Steadier.

JAVA SUGAR LONDON MARKET
London, October 9.

Java Sugar Fine White Dutch Standard No. 25 C. & F. Calcutta per cwt. Oct/Nov. nominal 5/9-3/4.

C. & F. Bombay per cwt. Oct/Nov. sellers 5/6-3/4.

C. & F. Karachi per cwt. Oct/Nov. sellers 5/6-3/4.

LONDON EXCHANGES.
London, October 9.

	£
T. T. London on:—	
Berlin	12.18
Amsterdam	7.23
Brussels	21.01-1/2
Madrid	35.84
Milan	57.31
Berne	15.04
Paris	74.50
Prague	116.50
T. T. London on New York Closing cross rate	4.92-5/8

LONDON DISCOUNT RATES.
London, October 9.

Bank Bills 3 months market rate 0-13/16 per cent. to 0-7/8 per cent.
Bank Bills 6 months market rate 0-3/4 per cent. to 0-13/16 per cent.
Fine Trade Bills 3 months market rate 2 per cent.
Fine Trade Bills 6 months market rate 2-1/2 per cent. to 3 per cent.
Interest Day to Day Loan 0-1/2 per cent. to 0-1/2 per cent.
Interest 7 Days Market Loan 0-1/2 per cent. to 0-1/2 per cent.

LONDON RUBBER.
London, October 9.

Semked sheet standard ribbed per lb. 7-3/16 sellers.

LINSEED OILS.
London, October 9.

Linseed Oil Naked London, per cwt. Oct. sellers 18/6.

Linseed Oil Naked London, per cwt. Jan/Apl. sellers 19/0.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.
London, October 9.

	£
Rupee Paper 3-1/2 per cent.	68
Indian Stock 3 per cent. 1948 or later	84
Indian Stock 3-1/2 per cent. 1931 or later	96
Indian Stock 4-1/2 per cent. 1950/55	113
Consols 2-1/2 per cent.	81-3/4
Conversion Loan 3-1/2 per cent. 1961	104-3/4
War Loan, 3-1/2 per cent. 1952,	105-5/8
Funding Loan, 4 per cent. 1960/90	114-7/8
Victory Bonds 4 per cent.	112-5/8
Chartered Bank of I. A. and China	15-3/4
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank (London Reg.)	137-1/2
National Bank of India	46-1/2
P. & O. Banking Corporation.	10-5/8

LONDON GOLD
London, October 9.

Gold bars Fine per oz. £7/2/9

WALL-STREET MARKET

Acting Very Well

New York, Oct. 9.

Messrs. Batlivala and Karani have issued the following report showing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange:—

	Dol.
Amer. Power & Light Com.	5
Amer. Forn. Power Com.	6
Amer. Forn. Power Gold D.	53
Amer. Forn. Power 7 p.c. P	15
Electric Bond Common	10
Electric Bond 5 dol Pfd.	34
Electric Bond 6 p.c. Pfd.	40
Consolidated Ga	28
Columbia Gas	8
American Tel & Tel	110
Western Union Telg.	32 3/4
Radio Corp.	6
Chesapeake & Ohio	42
New York Central	21
Eire R. R.	12
Pennsylvania R. R.	22
Union Pacific R. R.	99
Great North Pfd.	15
National Distillers	21
Hiram Walker	25
Distillers Seagram	15
Amr. Tobacco B.	76
Dupont de Nemours	89
Canadian Pacific	13
Bethelehem Steel	27
United States Steel	32 1/4
American Smelting	34
Int. Nickel of Canada	24
Anaconda Copper Mining	10 7/8
Kennecott Copper	18
Cerro de Pasco Copper	36
International Harvester	30
Ford Motors of Canada "A"	22
General Motors	28 3/4
Packard Motor	3
General Electric	18
St. Oil of N. J.	43
Atlantic Refining	23
Socony	13 1/2
Plymouth Oil	8
American Radiator	13
Chase Bank	21
National City Bank	19
Sun Life of Canada	345
Celanese Corp of Amr.	24
General Foods	29
National Dairy	16

Although market fractionally lower, market acted very well considering very serious news of Yugo Slavias king's assassination. New York Stock Exchange:—Easy.

New York Call Rate 1 per cent; Anaconda 10 3/4; U. S. Steel 32; G. Motors 28 5/8; I. Nickel 23 3/4; City Bank 19; Chase Bank 20 3/4; Socony 13 3/8; N. Y. Central 20 7/8; W. U. Teleg. 32 1/2; Total business 3/4 million.

HIGH AND LOW COTTON PRICES

Bombay, Oct. 9.

Broach A/M. 1935 Op. 207 1/2; Highest 208; Lowest 206; Closing 206.

Oomra D/J. Op. 179; Highest 179 1/4; Lowest 177 1/4; Closing 177 1/4

132 1/2; Lowest 131; Closing 131.

Bengal D/J. Op. 132 1/2; Highest

Teji-Mandi for Broach A/M. 1935 (31-3-35) Rs. 19.

Teji-Mandi for Broach settlement (21-10-34) Rs. 4 1/2.

LIVERPOOL WOOL SALES

Liverpool, Oct. 9.

Wool sales during the week amounted 253 bales. The market remained unchanged.

INDIAN STERLING LOANS

London, Oct. 9.

3 per cent Indian Sterling Loan £84

3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan £96

4 per cent Indian Sterling Loan 1948/53 £108 1/2

4 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan 1950/55 £113

4 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan 1958/68 £113 3/4

5 per cent Indian Sterling Loan 1942/47 £114

5 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan 1936/38 £108 1/2

6 per cent Indian Sterling Loan 1935/37 £104 3/8

3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan 1954/59 £102

INDIAN COTTON.
Liverpool October 9.

BROACH:—	
Fully Good (Good Staple)	5.02
Fine (Good Staple)	5.17
Superfine (Good Staple)	5.32
O. P. OOMRA:—	
Good (No. 1 Staple)	4.89
Fine (No. 1 Staple)	5.04
Choice (No. 1 Staple)	5.19
BENGAL:—	
Good	3.04
Fine	3.14
Superfine	3.24
SCINDE:—	
Good	3.19
Fine	3.29
Superfine	3.39

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.
New York, October 9.

October 1934	11.95—08
December 1934	12.07—08
January 1935	12.10—08
Middling Spot	12.37—11

NEW YORK COFFEE MARKET.
New York, October 9.

Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality) Spot 10-1/2.

LONDON SILVER.
London, October 9.

Silver—Steady.

Spot	23-3/4
Forward	23-3/8

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, Oct. 10.

Following a further decline of 12 points in New York cotton futures market, the local cotton market opened to-day at Rs. 203/8 for Broach A/M. delivery and prices fluctuated within a range of annas four on either side with a limited business. There was utter absence of any speculative business and the undertone of the market was weak. It is generally believed that rumour of removal of crop restrictions in America is unfounded.

Liverpool market opened at a decline of 6 points and Broach A/M was quoted at Rs. 203. Later on Liverpool was 7 points down and the local market closed at 5-30 p.m. as under:—

	Rs. a. p.
Broach A/M	203 4 0
Oomra D/J	174 8 0
Bengal D/J	129 12 0

GOLD AND SILVER

Bombay, Oct. 10.

There was further rise to-day in silver prices in the local market on increased buying influenced by bullish American advices. The market opened at Rs. 63/8 and declined to Rs. 63/6. At this level there was active buying which advanced prices to Rs. 64. There was some long liquidation and prices again declined to Rs. 63/14. The gold market was also fairly active and prices fluctuated between Rs. 35/5 and Rs. 35/7/6. China market was closed to-day. The undertone of the local market was firm.

	Rs. a. p.
Ready silver	63 10 0
November settlement	63 11 0
December settlement	63 14 0
Ready gold	35 8 0
November settlement	35 8 6
December settlement	35 9 6

BOMBAY SUGAR

Bombay, Oct. 10.

Ready Javas Rs. 13-12.
S. S. Nizam Rs. 3-15-6.
S. S India Rs. 3-15-6.
S. S. Fusijama Rs. 3-15-6.
S. S. Nawab Rs. 3-15.
S. S. Ranee Rs. 3-13-6.
Shipment Oct. Rs. 3-13-9.
Shipment Nov.-Dec. Rs. 3-12-3.
Shipment Jan.-Mar. Rs. 3-11-9.
Purtabpur Rs. 13-10.
African Rs. 13-11.
Java Spot F3.40.

ARGENTINE LINSEED

Buenos Aire, Oct. 9.

October	13.12+.12
November	13.01+.11

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, Oct. 9.

October	60 1/8+.3/8d.
December	63 1/8+.3/8d.
March	66 3/8+.1/2d.
May	67 7/8+.3/8d.

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, Oct. 9.

December	0.93 3/4+.3/8c.
May	0.97 7/8+.1/2c.
July	0.91 1/2+.3/8c.

NEW YORK SUGAR

New York, Oct. 9.

December	1.89—02
March	1.82—.03
May	1.85—.03
July	1.90—.03

AMERICAN COTTON BELT

Weather Forecast

EAST: Cloudy, showers probable.
CENTRAL: Parly cloudy.
WEST: Partly cloudy to unsettled.

AMERICAN COTTON FIGURES.

F. P. Bales	1934-35	1933-34
Receipts to date 9-10-34	1468000	2370000
Receipts Yesterday 9-10-34	37000	94000
Exports to date 9-10-34	875000	1626000
Stock at Ports 5-10-34	2848000	3504000
Stock Interior Towns 5-10-34	1542000	1503000
Stock Liverpool 5-10-34	962000	842000
Visible Supply 5-10-34	6014000	7413000
Quantity in Sight 5-10-34	2243000	3230000
Quantity out of Sight 5-10-34	1547000	2379000

LONDON METALS
London, Oct 9

Copper Braziers £39
Yellow Metal £33 3/8
Spelter Hard Indian Brands £12 1/8
Corrugated Sheets 24 gauge £16 3/4
Tin English Ingots, Liverpool F O B £230 1/4

LONDON PRODUCE
London, Oct 9

Wheat Rozario Santa Fe Parcels Oct-Nov sellers 22/3
Wheat Barletta Russo Parcels Oct-Nov sellers 22/6
Wheat South Australian Parcels Oct-Nov sellers 26

SEEDS
London, Oct 9

Linseed La Plata Hull c i f ton Oct-Nov sellers £10-3-9
Linseed Calcutta London c i f ton Oct-Nov sellers £11-7-6
Linseed Bombay London c i f ton Oct-Nov sellers £11-11-3
Rapeseed Toria (Hull/Cong't) c i f ton Oct-Nov sellers £10-5-0
Castorseed Bombay Hull c i f ton Oct-Nov sellers £10-5-0
Cottonseed Bombay Hull c i f ton No offers

SHARE BAZAR

Bombay, Oct. 10.

The local Share Bazar remained closed to-day for forward business. In the cash section there was scattered selling which resulted in some decline. Tata Steel Second Preference Shares changed hands at Rs. 170/12 while there were sellers in Scindia at Rs. 13/6. Petrol shares also declined to Rs. 5/10. The tone was quiet to-day and there was a marked absence of any important buying.

As pointed out before about three firms have lost heavily and nothing can be definitely said till to-morrow. It is however understood that attempts are being made to arrive at some settlement with the firms who have lost heavily.

To-day's closing rates in the Cash Section were as under:—

Ahmedabad Advance	315-0
Crescent	7-0
Dawn	395-0
Finlay	123-12
Hindustan	1755-0
Indian Mfg.	1530-0
Indore Malwa	115-10
Khatau	93-12
Lakshmi	828-12
Murarjee	1530-0
Model Nagpore	79-0
Osmanshahi Mill	73-0
Sholapur	2820-0
Sassoon Silk	40-0
Swan	68-12
Tata Mills	12-8
Vishnu Mills	1500-0
BANK SECTION	
Bank of India	118-8
Baroda Bank	103-0
Bombay Provincial	43-12
Central Bank	33-10
Eastern Bank	87-0
Imperial F P	1355-0
Imperial P P	393-12
Union Bank	5-1
Ahmedabad Electric	178-12
Ahmedabad Electric New	176-4
Broach Electric	11-0
Karachi Electric	213-12
Surat Electric	173-12
Suburban Electric	157-0
CEMENT SECTION	
Gwalior Cement	106-4
Katni Cement Def	1185-0
Okha Cement	198-2
United Cements	83-12
PREFERENCE SHARES	
7 per cent Andhra Val Taxable	1310-0
6 per cent Bombay Steamer Taxable	233-12
7 per cent Bombay Tram Tax free	80-8
5 per cent Central India Tax free	507-8
7 per cent Katni 1st Taxable	135-0
7 per cent Katni 2nd Tax free	148-0
7 1/2 per cent Punjab Cmt Taxable	14-8
7 per cent Tata Hydro Taxable	133-12
6 per cent Tata I and S 1st Taxable	178-12
7 per cent Tata I and S 2nd Taxable	170-8
7 1/2 per cent Tata Power Taxable	1335-0
6 1/2 per cent Surat Elec Tax free	135-0
7 per cent Vishnu Taxable	635-0
DEBENTURES	
6 per cent Andhra Val Taxable	111-10
6 1/2 per cent Bombay Tele Taxable	57-2
7 per cent Sholapur Taxable	92-12
6 per cent Tata Hydro Taxable	111-14
Ahmedabad Prantej	855-0
Amritsar Patti Old	122-0
Central Provinces	90-4
Dhond Baramati	87-0
Guzerat	74-0
Hoshiarpur Doab	93-12
Larkhana	105-0
Mandra Bhon	91-4
Mymensing Rebate	93-0
Mymensing Gtd	80-0
Pachora Jamner	85-0
Sara Sirajgunj	95-0
Sialkot Narowal	106-12
Sind Light	85-0
Tapty Valley	761-4
Upper Sind Light	99-0
MISCELLANEOUS SECTION	
Br. Burma Petrol	5-9
Bombay Burma New	141-14
Indian Radio Ordy	472-8
Indian Radio Dfd	530-0
Indian Mercantile	56-12
Investment Trust Old premium	18-0
McKenzies	61-0
New India Assurance	37-8
Jupiter Insurance	13-12
Oriental Assurance	3870-0
Vulcan Insurance	8-10
Port Canning	607-8
Scindia Steam	13-5
Tata Oil	21-0

3½ PER CENT STERLING LOAN

The 3 1/2 per cent. Indian sterling loan closed on Tuesday at £96.

IMPROVEMENT IN WHEAT

Prices Advance ½d.

Wheat.—The withdrawal of French offers, unfavourable weather reports from Australia and a good far-Eastern demand had a further steadying effect on the Liverpool market which after early weakness, recovered and closed at about 1/2d. per cental advance.

READY COTTON SALES
Bombay, Oct. 10.

200 G G Kesha and Co Hansi 13 off
55 K Devchand and Co Amraoti 172 1/2
77 K Devchand and Co Jalna old 147
180 Toyomankwak Narwana 120
200 Toyomankwak Budhlada 120/121
62 Kotak and Co Nagar 158
24 Ramdas Dossa Warora 184 1/2
74 Ramdas Dossa Chanda 178
100 Mithabhai Nathoo Laherigaga 18 off
180 Oshman Suleman Hansi 117 1/4
30 Oshman Suleman Amod 102 3/4
100 Finlay Mill Moga 110 1/4
100 Anandilal Poddar Budhlada 11 off
200 Narshingirji Mill Karnool 111
100 Narshingirji Mill Panipat 109
24 Motiram Vaghji Nagar old 141

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

Bombay, Oct. 10.

SETTLEMENT

3 1/2 per cent G P N Sett 91/9/9
3 1/2 per cent G P N Cash 91/10/6
4 per cent 1960/70 107/7
4 per cent 1960/70 Cash 107/8
5 per cent 1945/55 Sett 117/6
5 per cent 1945/55 Cash 117/8

TAX FREES

4 per cent 1953/63 Mysore 107/12
5 per cent 1955 Mysore 118
5 1/2 per cent 1938 Mysore 111
6 1/2 per cent 1935 B D L 104/10

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES. (CASH.)

3 per cent 1941 99/7
3 1/2 per cent 1947/50 101/8
4 per cent 1943 105/8
4 1/2 per cent 1955/60 112/12
5 per cent 1939/44 108/3
5 per cent 1940/43 109/3
5 per cent 1935 102/9
5 1/2 per cent 1938/40 109/4
6 1/2 per cent 1935 T B 103/12

CORPORATION LOANS (TAXABLES)

4 per cent B P T 1974 103/0
4 per cent M Deb 1974 102/8
5 per cent M Deb 1959 113/8
6 per cent M Deb 1954 124/4
6 per cent K P T 1956 124/4
6 1/2 per cent B I T 1937 109/8

Note:—3 1/2 per cent Government paper opened to-day at Rs. 91/12 but declined to Rs. 91/9/6 on long liquidation. Next settlement is 3/64 per cent lower.

COTTON ARRIVALS

	Bales.
Receipts into Bombay on 7th/8th October	982
Receipts into Bombay to date since 1-9-1934	76,459
Receipts into Bombay to same time last season	43,137
Increase	+.33,322

INDIAN COTTON PARITY

STRADDLE DIFFERENCES.

New York—Liverpool:—Liverpool New York December 122 at Cross Rate 4.92 5/8.

Bombay—Liverpool:—Broach A/M. 1935 205—Liverpool May 1935 6.42 Rs. 74 1/2 at Exchange 1/6

Bombay—New York:—Broach A/M. 1935 205—New York May 12.23 Rs. 71 at Cross Rate 4.92 5/8

WORLD'S SPINNERS' TAKINGS

Total takings of American cotton by spinners of the World from the be spinning of the season to Oct 6, are as under:—

(In thousands.)

	Season from 1st Aug. 1934-35	1933-34	1932-33
Great Britain	173	257	190
U. S. A., Canada, etc.	646	957	822
Continent	433	767	653
Japan China etc.	295	398	451
Total	1547	2379	2116

LINSEED AND WHEAT

Bombay, Oct. 10.

Linseed May	6 5 6
Wheat January	4 0 0
Wheat May	4 3 6

READY COTTON QUOTATIONS.
Bombay, Oct. 10.

Bengal Superfine	134/36
Bengal Fine	121/23
Bengal F.G.	111/18
Sindh-Punjab Fine	121/23
Sindh-Punjab F.G.	111/16
Wardha-Hinght	185/187
Nagpur Savner	183/185
Pundhurna	175/177
Yeotmal	174/175
Arvi	173/175
Ellichpur	173/175
Amraoti-Berar	171/173
Khamgaon	172/173
Mulkapur	163/165
Khandesh	160/162
Jalna/Sailu	161/163
Burwah Sanavad	165/170
Broach Fine	199/201
Punjab/American	209/211
Punjab/American mix	199/204
Cambodia	264/269
Miraj/Sangli	194/199
Compta Good	189/194
Bagalkot	174/179
Kampala	337
Busoga	333
Jinja	332
Manza	327

INDIAN COTTON FIGURES.

Bombay, Oct. 10

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY.
Since 1st September.
In full-pressed Bales.

	Yesterday	This year.
Khandesh		1,173
Central India	255	3,295
Barsi and Nagar	..	1,197
Hyderabad-Gaorani	...	309
Berar	167	3,167
Central Provinces	...	763
Total Oomras	422	9,814
Dholera	...	6,305
N.-W. Provinces	...	610
Rajputana	...	865
Sind-Punjab	...	6,942
Broach	...	741
Coompta & Dharwar	...	6,985
Westerns-Northerns	78	7,128
Tinnevelly & Cambodia	351	10,582
Persian	191	1,505
American	...	1,594
Egyptian & African	...	24,430
Total	1,042	77,561

EXPORTS FROM BOMBAY.
1st Sept. to 4th Oct.
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	Yesterday	This year.
Europe	55	27,126
Japan & China	1,450	57,414
Coast Ports	100	2,894
Up-country by Rail	...	14,900
Afloat in harbour for Europe China & Japan	...	2,388
Total	1,605	104,322

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BOMBAY THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1934

Combined Market Not Wanted

Dadar-Matunga Protest Against Municipal Proposal

Under the joint auspices of the Matunga Residents' Association and twelve other institutions a public meeting was held at Nappu Hall on Monday. Dr. G.V. Deshmukh presided and amongst the prominent citizens who were present were: Messrs. B.G. Parelkar, S.G. Keny, K.S. Ramachandra Iyer, K.G. Tambe, J.C. Maitra, C.K. Sanghani and others.

Seth Velji Lakhamsi in moving the main resolution explained the object of the meeting and outlined the history of the Municipal project to establish a combined vegetable, fish and meat market on Plot No. 264-A. He said in their anxiety to increase the revenue, the Municipal authorities are endeavouring to foist on the citizens of Dadar-Matunga, a predominantly vegetarian locality a combined market, not realising that such a scheme is foredoomed to failure financially. The religious and humanitarian susceptibilities of the vast majority of the inhabitants of the locality will be hurt by such a scheme and he requested Dr. Deshmukh and the other Corporators of the "F" Ward to do all they can to prevent the auction of the plot fixed for the 11th inst.

SHELVE PROPOSAL.

He then proposed the following resolution:—

"This public meeting of the residents of Dadar-Matunga Estate held under the auspices of the Matunga Residents' Association, the South Indian Association, the Mysore Association, the Hindu Sabha, the Arya Samaj, the Asthika Samaj, the South Indian Bhajana Samaj, the Hindu Gymkhana (Bombay North), the Dakshini Brahmin Co-operative Housing Society, the Gaud Saraswat Brahmin Co-operative Housing Society, the South Indian Co-operative Housing Society, the South Indian Co-operative Consumers' Society, and the Tilak Nagar Sangh, emphatically protests against the leasing out by the Bombay Municipality of Plot No. 264-A, for a combined vegetable, fish and meat market, as there is absolutely no necessity for such a market, the population in the locality being predominantly vegetarian and the stray few non-vegetarians could easily avail themselves of the markets at Dadar and Wadala.

"Further such a market will be a source of nuisance to the residents and is likely to injure the humanitarian susceptibilities of the bulk of the population in the locality. The meeting, therefore, appeals to the Municipality to withdraw the proposal to lease the site for a combined market.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED.

"The meeting further resolves to take all necessary and legitimate steps to prevent the establishment of a combined market and for the purpose appoints a Committee of the following gentlemen with powers to co-opt:—

"Seth Velji Lakhamsi. Messrs. K.S. Ramachandra Iyer, Mooliraj Goculdas Nensey, G.B. Vartak, V. R. Patwardhan and Drs M. B. Udgaonkar and G.B. Desai."

Mr. K. S. Ramachandra Iyer seconded the resolution and emphasised the fact that by the proposed scheme, the Municipality will neither get revenue nor the contractor recover his dues, while the public sentiments and feelings would be gratuitously outraged. He felt sure that the Municipality would withdraw the scheme.

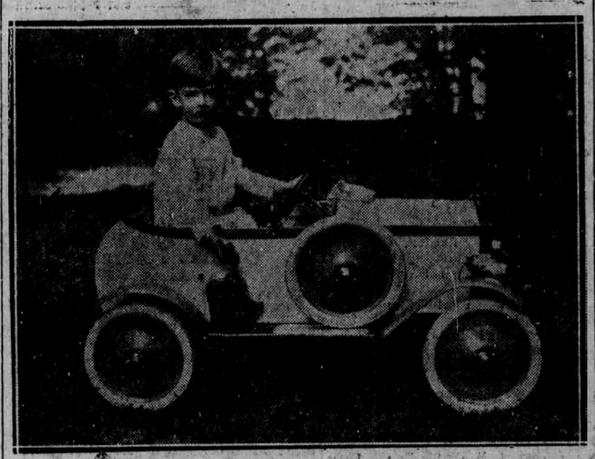
Messrs. Keny and Maitra supported the motion, and Mr. Keny promised to do all he can to prevent the proposed auction sale. Mr. K.G. Tambe, while supporting the motion suggested that the citizens should, if necessary, obtain an injunction from the High Court to prevent the auction. The resolution was then put to vote and passed unanimously.

DESHMUKH'S WARNING.

Dr. Deshmukh while winding up the proceedings cautioned the audience not to go away with the idea that they can achieve their purpose so easily as by passing a resolution and appointing a committee. He exhorted them to start a campaign of unwearied and serious agitation till they succeed in their purpose, as was done by our co-citizens, the Parsis some time ago when it was proposed to have a public urinal in their locality.

The Late King Alexander

King Alexander of Yugoslavia who was shot dead by a Croat in Marseilles on Tuesday. The King's last words were "Guard Yugoslavia."



Prince Peter who is at present in an English school has been proclaimed King of Yugoslavia.

SOCIALIST PROPAGANDA IN BERAR

Demand, Legislatures Must Be Linked Up With Mass Activities

AMRAOTI, Oct. 9.

At the general meeting of the Berar Congress Socialist Party, Benares resolutions were the main topic of discussions.

The meeting passed the following resolutions:—

The resolutions passed at the Benares meeting regarding Parliamentary activity were disapproved and the resolution submitted by Mr. P.Y. Deshpande insisting on a positive and radical use of legislatures directly linked up with mass activity outside was passed unanimously. The meeting also authorised Mr. P.Y. Deshpande to press this resolution in the Bombay Conference of the Congress Socialists.

IN CONGRESS EXECUTIVE.

Regarding the acceptance of offices in the Congress Executive also, the Berar Socialists differed from the Benares decision and resolved that even though there was no majority of Socialists in the Congress Executive membership should be accepted with a view to make a constant propaganda of Socialist views and remain on the Executive until the Congress actually drives them out. The meeting expressed entire disapproval of the Parliamentary activity conducted by the C.P.B. as well as the Congress Nationalist Party and the responsibility of the inordinate emphasis on the Communal Award issue at the cost of side-tracking the mass activity lies equally on both the C. P.B. and the Nationalist Party.

FOR PRESIDENTSHIP.

The meeting appointed four Secretaries for the districts and authorised them to organise Socialist groups to carry on the activity of the Party. The meeting suggested the following five names for the presidentship of the Bombay Conference out of which any one may be selected: 1. Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, 2. Dr. Adhikari, 3. Acharya Narendra Deo, 4. Kamala Devi Chattopadhyaya and 5. Pandit Dinkar Shastri Kanade of Buldana (Berar).

The following delegates were selected for the Bombay Conference:—P.Y. Deshpande. Dr. Kulkarni and Achut Deshpande.

A committee for drafting the constitution of the Provincial Party was also formed.—United Press.

CHINA STANDS FOR INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION

Vice-Consul's Message To Nations At Celebration Of National Day Of Republic

A large and distinguished gathering was present at the Tea Party given by the Vice-Consul for China and Mrs. Tsungwoo Ding at the Taj Mahal Hotel to celebrate the National Day of the Republic of China, on Wednesday evening.

Among those present were the Chief Justice and Judges of the High Court, the Sheriff of Bombay, the Mayor of Bombay, the Presidency Magistrates, the Municipal Commissioner, Consular representatives in Bombay and several leading representatives of commercial interests in the city.

The Vice-Consul in the course of his speech said, that at all times, it was a high privilege to receive and entertain so many distinguished guests from so many countries, of so many communities, castes and creeds but on this occasion the privileges and pleasure were greater, as they were celebrating in Bombay the 23rd National Day which the Republic of China observed today.

"Nothing can endear peoples of different lands to one another more than such evidence of goodwill and friendliness, which verily formed the foundation stone in the establishment of permanent friendship," he said when he referred to the token of respect shown to the Chinese in Bombay.

PROBLEMS OF CHINA.

Referring to the policy of the Government of China, Mr. Ding said that its policy was to promote peace and bring back an era of plenty and prosperity everywhere. Despite unfavourable circumstances, the Government was to-day striving hard to ameliorate the economic conditions of the Chinese millions, who, as in India, are mostly agriculturists. They were adopting measures calculated to encourage the increase of production and consumption of their agricultural and industrial products and thereby to increase the buying and selling power of their people.

PEACE AND GOODWILL.

Concluding, Mr. Ding said, "Internationally, we Chinese want to live in peace and friendship with all nations who want to live in peace and friendship with us. The policy of our Republican Government is guided by the utmost goodwill for and sincere desire to co-operate with the other powers in promoting international cordiality, specially in the sphere of trade and commerce."

The National Anthem of the Chinese Republic was played, and the large gathering dispersed after spending a very enjoyable evening.

WORLD PRESS CONGRESS

Editor Of "A. B. Patrika" To Represent India At Melbourne

CALCUTTA, Oct. 10.

The "United Press" understands that Mr. Tushar Kanti Ghosh, the Editor of "Amrita Bazar Patrika" has been invited to represent India at the forthcoming Session of World Press Congress to be held at Melbourne on March 27, 28, 29 and 30 of 1935 in connection with the Centenary Celebrations.

A letter of invitation that has been received by Mr. Ghosh says that he has been appointed as one of the Vice-Presidents of the proposed Congress Sessions.

Mr. Ghosh has accepted the invitation.—United Press.

Elected To Madras Bar Council

MADRAS (By Mail.)

The following ten candidates having secured the highest number of votes are declared elected to the Madras Bar Council:—

1. Mr. T R Venkatarama Sastriar, C.I.E. 2. Mr. K Bhashyam Iyengar, 3. Mr. K Krishnaswami Iyengar. 4. Dewan Bahadur T R Ramachandra Iyer. 5. Mr. K Rajah Iyer. 6. Mr. V Govindarajachari. 7. Mr. T M Krishnaswami Iyer. 8. Mr. K V Ramaswami Iyer. 9. Mr. Ch. Raghava Rau. 10. Mr. K Kutti Krishna Menon.—A. P.

INDIAN ACADEMY OF SCIENCES

Raman Says He Is Glad All-India Status Has Been Secured For It

BANGALORE, Oct. 8.

"I am glad that the clouds that hovered round the Academy have all disappeared and that an All-India status has been secured for it, said Sir C. V. Raman, at the fourth scientific meeting of the Indian Academy of Sciences held at the Indian Institute of Science, last evening.

Nine original papers were read at the meeting.

Sir C. V. Raman, President of the Academy, referred at the outset to the co-operation accorded to scientists all over India in the formation of the Indian Academy of Sciences and said that the following eminent scientists had been elected Fellows of the Academy.

Prof. K. Ananda Rao, of the Madras Presidency College Dr. S. Chandrasekar, of Cambridge; Mr. K. Krishnamurty of Nagpur; Dr. P. Maheshwari of Agra; Mr. S. K. Roy Dhanbad; Mr. Ramakrishna and Mr. G. K. Rangaswamy of Coimbatore; Mr. M. R Siddigui of Hyderabad; Dr. Veerabasam of Lucknow; Dr. B Shahani of Lucknow and Prof. R. Shahani of Lahore.—United Press.

FREE MEDICINE FOR ASTHMA PATIENTS

The Secretary, Chitrakut Seva Ashram, writes from Chitrakut:

"Several correspondents in Bombay write about the drug of efficacy, being distributed to the asthma patients, on the day of Sree Sree Kojalgari Lakshmi Puja, at Chitrakut, in the Banda district. The place being far off, they requested the Chitrakut Seva-Ashram, a local organisation, for the benefit of the public, to open a centre for distribution in a more convenient place, such as Bombay.

The Ashram is glad to say that though they have been unable to open a centre for distribution in Bombay they have made arrangements to procure the medicine from the Sadhu for asthma patients who are personally unable to proceed to Chitrakut, and to send them this medicine duly, by post. Those who want the medicine may write to the Secretary, Chitrakut Seva Ashram, Chitrakut, Banda district."

FLOODS IN AGARTALA

AGARTALA. (By Mail).

The Chief Secretary, Tripura Raj, wires:—

"There has been an unprecedented flood in Agartala, capital town of the Tripura State, covering a large area. Owing to heavy rainfall previously in the hills, the two rivers on both the sides of the town began to overflow from the early hours of Oct. 4. Within a short time breaches were made and water entered the town.

"No deaths were reported but carcasses of cows, goats and other domestic animals were found floating in the currents. Telegraphic connection was dislocated and two days' dak was delivered yesterday.

"To-day the flood level has almost subsided leaving a small area under knee-deep water."—United Press.

TWO KILLED IN VILLAGE FRACAS

Abduction Of Women And Its Sequel

LAHORE, Oct. 10.

Two persons were killed and several seriously injured in a fracas between two parties of villagers near Muridwala in the District of Lyallpur. The trouble arose over the abduction of a woman by one party in retaliation for which the rival party from the neighbouring district numbering about 60 and armed with deadly weapons attacked the former and forcibly carried away four of their women.

In the pursuit a clash occurred resulting in the casualties mentioned above. The Superintendent of Police with a party reached the spot and made several arrests.—A P

GUJARAT SOCIALISTS & CONGRESS

DOHAD, Oct. 10.

Mr. Kamala Shanker Pandya, Secretary of the Gujarat Congress Socialist Party, has issued the following statement:—

All those who intend to attend the All-India Congress Socialist Conference to be held at Bombay on October 21 and 22 as delegates, are hereby informed to intimate their desire to Mr. Kamala Shanker Pandya, Dohad, Secretary Gujarat Congress Socialist Party before October 17.

Only those who have already enrolled themselves as Party members will be eligible for election as delegates.—United Press.

INSPIRATION TO YOUNG MEN

Tagore Commends Mr. Mitter's Recovery Plan

SHANTINIKETAN. (By Mail).

Commending the "Recovery Plan for Bengal," recently sponsored by Mr. S.C. Mitter, Deputy Director of Industries, as a bold, but constructive attempt showing the true path of economic salvation in the desperate situation, which prevails in the country at present, Dr. Rabindranath Tagore has issued the following message:

BLISSFULLY OBLIVIOUS.

"At a certain period of my life I was in close association with some villages in Bengal when I came to realise that the only productive factor in our province almost entirely consisted of cultivators. We, who occupy the various upper strata of society are directly or indirectly dependent for our maintenance upon those patient toilers of the soil. And yet the educative community in Bengal have for long remained blissfully oblivious of the fact that agriculture as the sole basis of the nation's livelihood cannot but be meagre and uncertain in its boon.

PLIGHT OF VILLAGES.

"Once Bengal had the reputation of being rich; this she did not owe merely to the fertility of her soil, but to other channels of wealth in villages. Since these have been lost to us like the net work of our waterways silted up and choked by weeds, our villages are driven to desolation and to the living death worse than death itself.

INSPIRATION TO YOUNG MEN.

"Mr. S.C. Mitter has taken immense trouble in gathering detailed information about all departments of industries that can be adopted by our countrymen of all grades of endowment.

"The 'Recovery Plan' suggested by him is sure to be an inspiration to our young men and a valuable guidance for them. I offer my best thanks to the author of the scheme on behalf of my countrymen and personally of myself for suggestions that will be of fruitful help for the village work I am carrying on in connection with Shantiniketan."—United Press.

The Chinese mission to Tibet is reported to have decided to return via India, says a Simla Message.—A.P.

IGNORING RIGHTS OF VOTERS

Protest Against Vile Parle Municipality's Action

VILE PARLE, Oct. 9.

Under the auspices of the Vile Parle Mutual Affection Encouraging League, a public meeting of the citizens of Vile Parle was held on Sunday last to protest against the attitude and action of the Vile Parle Municipal Board in regard to the rejection of applications of voters for incorporation of their names in the electoral Roll supplied by Mr. J. V. Rajadhyaksha, pleader and others.

Dr. Rasik R. Thakar who presided severely criticised the Municipality and regretted that the situation was going from bad to worse. He warned the public that they will have to continue to suffer more and more unless they elect proper persons and try to have an altogether a new Municipal body.

The following resolutions were adopted.

This meeting of the citizens of Vile Parle had strongly disapproved of the action and attitude of the Vile Parle Municipal Board in rejecting the application of voters for incorporation of their names in the electoral roll supplied by Mr. J. V. Rajadhyaksha, and others.

This meeting is not at all satisfied with the President's explanation endorsed by the Municipal Board that the extention of the period for receiving objection to the electoral roll was a mistake. In the opinion of this meeting the President and other councillors are responsible for this loss of civic rights to so many voters and to a number of candidates and declares that Vile Parle Municipal Board's action in this connection is entirely wrong.

This meeting authorises the president to forward the copies of the above resolutions to the following:

The Collector, Bombay Suburban District.

The Commissioner Central Division, Poona.

The Honourable Minister to the Local Self-Government of Bombay.

The Secretary of the General Department of the Bombay Government and

The Vile Parle Municipal Board.

The All-India Adi Hindu Depressed Classes Conference takes place in Mainpuri, U. P. from October 19 to 21.

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